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**SPECIAL NOTICE.**  
All advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

1892.

A Happy New Year Everybody!

### INAUGURAL CEREMONIES.

Mayor Thompson will formally don the robes of state on next Monday afternoon. His Address will be delivered to the people assembled in Lyceum Hall where all the ceremonies of the occasion will take place.

No radical departure from the policy of his predecessors on cardinal points is looked for from the new Mayor. His ideas of how the public business should be conducted are not probably very much different from those which have prevailed in the Chair of the Chief Executive ever since Woburn has lived under a city charter.

Considerable space in the Inaugural Address will doubtless be devoted to questions and suggestions acent the 250th Anniversary Jubilee which the city expects to indulge in this summer or fall for the heart of Mayor Thompson is it.

We expect to see Lyceum Hall filled to its utmost capacity next Monday afternoon.

### THE FUSS WITH CHILI.

Leading newspapers of the country have been talking war between the United States and Chili for two or three weeks but hostilities seem not yet to have been opened. Men who look calmly and understandingly on the subject do not anticipate a rupture between the two countries named, but on the contrary, they believe the little trouble that has sprung up between them will be amicably settled.

The Administration have given out nothing on which to base the newspaper reports of probable war between this country and Chili, and nothing that has been published respecting unusual activity in the Navy, movements of land forces, and other belligerent signs and signals on the part of the United States, has had warrant from the State, War or Executive Department.

The newspaper talk is all guess-work, and pretty poor guess-work, at that.

### THE GENERAL COURT.

Next week Wednesday the Legislature of this State will assemble at the capital in Boston.

It is settled beyond peradventure that Hon. W. P. Barrett will for the third time be made Speaker of the House, but who the President of the Senate will be has not yet been publicly announced. Likely the wire-workers have got the matter fixed up, but outsiders will not be let into the secret until the election takes place.

We are looking for good legislation this year. The Republicans have the swing and if they do not improve it for the public weal the public weal will be asking the reason why one of these days.

### LOCAL NEWS.

**New Advertisements.**

Ayer & Son—Asthma.  
Karo & Co.—Long Kuro.

### Job Work.

Job printing is to be done gratis, as promptly as possible, at the JOURNAL office at any establishment in Middlesex County. Entire satisfaction in quality of work and price is guaranteed.—*ft.*

Happy New Year!

There was a violent rain-storm on Saturday.

Many will resolve to "turn over a new leaf" today.

The new business Postal Card is rather a trifle affair.

Husbandman C. K. Conn has got pretty well over the grip.

Gentlemen, did you "swear off" good and solid this morning?

Another big rain on last Tuesday night accompanied by high winds.

Look out for counterfeit \$5 U. S. bills. Slathers of them are about.

Fred B. Leeds, ex-druggist, has had pneumonia, but is much better.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hayward of Salem st. are improving in health.

Druggist Gordon Parker has had quite a serious bout with the grip.

The last meeting of the City Council of 1891 was held last evening.

Ald. Fowle of Ward 4 has gone over to New York on a business trip.

Mr. Lovell, the druggist, has recovered and is at his post of duty again.

Prof. E. A. Pierce and Mrs. Pierce has been down with the going complaint.

Capt. Lundy inspected State property at the Armory in this city last Tuesday.

Nearly all the grip patients are making sure and rapid progress towards sound health.

Deacon G. R. Gage was reported quite low at last accounts and gradually sinking away.

Mr. J. F. Deland is obliged to use crutches on account of a badly sprained foot.

Length of days has increased 4 minutes—a very good beginning with the new year.

Chief McIntosh is complaining of it too. He has been housed up for a few days.

Mrs. E. P. Buxton, No. 39 Lowell street, is recovering from quite a severe illness.

Horn Pond ought to be thinking about freezing up if we are to have any next summer.

Miss Eames, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Eames of New Boston street, is getting better.

Business has been extremely dull since Christmas. Hardly anything is doing in mercantile or other industries.

—A special invitation has been extended to non-members to attend the Baptist Sunday School next Sunday.

—One week of last Monday's weather would compel the grip to relinquish his cruel grasp on humanity hereaway.

—Mr. F. B. Richardson, Superintendent of Schools, is recovering from quite a serious attack of the prevailing distemper.

—One day last week 16 locomotive engineers on the Lowell Div. of the B. & M. were hauled up for repairs. Grip did it.

—It looks as though Mr. C. M. Monroe had gone into the real estate business. Look at his advertisement in this paper.

—Mr. Herbert B. Dow of Academy Hill and family have all got pretty nicely over serious attacks of the prevailing disorder.

—Doctors say there is a perceptible diminution in the number of grip cases and the signs are that it is gradually getting out.

—Mr. Samuel Cook spent Christmas with his family in this city. He travels a large part of the time on commercial business.

—We were kindly remembered by Mrs. H. Leach of Montrose, Pa., formerly of this city, on Christmas, for which we return thanks.

—Arthur Wyer, son of Senator Wyer, who is working for an education at Andover Academy, has been at home on his holiday vacation.

—If the Court knows herself, and she rather thinks she do," there will be less rum selling in this city in 1892 than there was in 1891. Amen!

—The Painters and Decorators Association will hold their annual meeting and elect officers at Carpenter's Hall on next Wednesday evening.

—Mr. Lawrence Reade has been quite ill for several days, but is improving. Rev. John Quiney, pastor of St. Charles church, is seriously ill with the grip.

—Mr. Fred A. Flint got out on Tuesday for the first time in several days. He had a pretty serious attack of grip, but now as bright as a new button.

—Gregory, the Life Insurance Agent in this city, seems to be putting in considerable time making the hearts of the people glad by promptly paying up life policies.

—The *Globe* says that more than 50 houses have been built in this city during the year just closed. The JOURNAL thinks the *Globe* has set the number too low.

—“The Bugle,” the journalistic organ of the Woburn High School, for the current month looks as neat as a pin. Its contents are of a high order of literary merit.

—We are indebted to Insurance Agent Gregory's thoughtfulness for a generous supply of blotters, memoranda, etc., from the office of the Mut. L. Ins. Co. of N.Y.

—The next term of Miss Dean's Kindergarten will open on next Monday, Jan. 4. Its accomplished teacher returned from her vacation visit among friends last Thursday.

—Rev. Dr. March has not been real well this week. He was quite house on Sunday and in the evening attended the Christmas concert only long enough to make a prayer.

—Ella C. Luce, the popular alto, sang with the Nilsson Quartette, of which she is a member, at Union Hall, Boston, last Wednesday evening, in behalf of the B. Y. M. C. Union.

—Winthrop Hammond left here last week for a brief period of rest in New York, Philadelphia and other cities and localities. He thought he would be away a fortnight or more.

—Dr. John M. Harlow, who was among the first to succumb to the grip followed by pneumonia, has so far recovered as to be able to attend to business although a cough still clings to him.

—Major-elect Thompson got down to the bank early this week after quite a siege with the distemper which, we suppose, must have interfered with the composition of his Inaugural Address.

—William L. Nelson, son of Geo. Nelson, died Wednesday morning, after a three week's sickness. The funeral will take place Saturday, at 9 A. M., from St. Mary's church, Woburn.

—It was a terrible wet, nasty time for Christmas, but people didn't seem to mind it much. Christmas Eve was a stormy one, but it was middling sort fair the next day, and did not rain till night.

—Rev. Hugh Montgomery has been very ill for the past week with a severe attack of the grippe with strong symptoms of pneumonia. He is now on the gain, many thanks to Dr. Springer who has attended him.

—Rev. Mr. Barrows will enter on the discharge of his ministerial and pastoral duties with the First Baptist Church in this city on next Sunday. A favorable report for piety and ability has preceded him.

—Mrs. Julia P. Lewis arrived in this city from Chicago last week and is visiting the JOURNAL family at 15 Church Avenue. She expects to spend the winter with friends in various sections of New England.

—The women folks say that at 50-cent tea at the Boston Branch is the best there is going. It is the favorite with old lady tea-drinkers who know what's what in the shape of Bohica, Shoushang, etc. Try it.

—The kind of weather we had yesterday ought to be able to scatter and annihilate the microbes which are said to be responsible in a great measure for the grip. It was only 18 above with a stiff west gale.

—Rev. Mr. Montgomery was talking with a Rockland Methodist clergyman the other day and in the conversation, referring to Rev. Mr. Barrows, the new pastor in this city, he said: "Both he and his wife (Mr. and Mrs. Barrows) are earnest and faithful temperance workers." And Mr. Montgomery adds: "I think the city of Woburn is to be congratulated."

—Business has been extremely dull since Christmas. Hardly anything is doing in mercantile or other industries.

—Chief McIntosh and Officer McDermott made successful liqueur raids on Martin O'Hara's Oak street premises, and Mark Woodbridge of Montvale, last Sunday. Quantities of "the critter" were seized at both places.

—Dr. Church informed a JOURNAL reporter last Tuesday morning that there are many cases of grip and pneumonia in Winchester, some of which have recently resulted in death. The doctor is kept very busy day and night.

—Rev. Dr. March gave his annual reception and held his levee for the quite little folks of Mrs. Hill's Primary Department of the Congregational Sunday School to-day at the church and as usual it was quite a jolly affair.

—The JOURNAL heartily congratulates Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Carswell of Sabalia, Idaho, on the addition to their family of a spanking nice daughter. She made her first appearance in the Carswell household on Dec. 5, 1891.

—The police are on the lookout for a man who has been insulting women in the vicinity of High and Prospect streets. Demands for money have also been made. In one case two young men were together when the footpad was met. The latter carried a club, and made it conspicuous before he had made his demand. His proposed victim did not come down. On the contrary, one of them pulled out a pistol, whereupon the ruffian fled.

—Ionic Lodge, K. of P., have elected the following officers: Past Chancellor, J. T. Given; Chancellor Commander, B. F. Waldron; Vice Commander, W. L. Lettney; Keeper of Records and Seal, H. B. Richardson; Master of Finance, Cyrus Cummings; Master of Exchequer, R. H. Potter; Master of Arms, A. T. Weeks; Inner Guard, Daniel Williamson; Trustee, Dr. N. A. Springer; Representative to Grand Lodge for two years,

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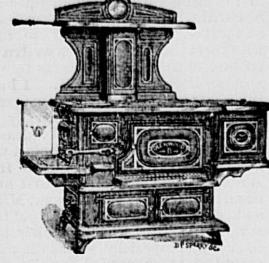
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Sunday Christmas Services in the Churches.

Last Sabbath was generally observed by the churches in this city as Christmas Sunday. In nearly all of them the pastors selected appropriate texts, Bible-readings, etc., and preached sermons flavored with the spirit of Christmas; the choirs, leaders and organists prepared and executed Christmas musical programmes; and then in the evening the children as a rule took their turnings and gave interesting Christmas Sunday School concerts.

At the Unitarian church in the morning Rev. H. C. Parker, the beloved pastor of that people, preached an eloquent sermon on "The Divine Gift," while sweet Christmas music was furnished under the direction of the accomplished organist and chorister, Mr. John C. Buck. At 4 o'clock, p. m., a delightful Sunday School concert was given, for which special music, and literary and religious exercises were furnished. Flowers and Christmas greens abounded.

Rev. C. H. Spaulding delivered a very able and instructive sermon at the First Baptist church at half-past 10 o'clock in the morning, which was handled with a master's skill. Chorister P. E. Bauerhoff arranged an excellent order of sacred music, while the choir did full justice to the singing by Miss Decker and Mrs. McDonald was fine. Miss Merton Bauerhoff presided at the organ on which she executed delightfully some beautiful Christmas selections. [Programme was given by JOURNAL last week.]

At 6 o'clock, p. m., the Sunday School concert was given, for which much preparation had been made. There was a brief address by Rev. Mr. Spaulding. Christmas songs, hymns and carols. Flowers and greens abounded here also.

The theme which Rev. Daniel March, D. D., chose for discussion at the morning service at the First Congregational church was: "What has Christ Done for the World?" From which he preached a sound, practical and highly interesting sermon. It is needless to say that organist Clarke and his well-trained adult and juvenile choirs furnished the very best and sweetest of music for both the morning meeting and evening Sunday school, for that is what he never fails to do on such and other church celebrations and festive religious occasions.

The Sunday School at 6 o'clock, p. m., was carried on by Mr. George C. Conn, Assistant Superintendent of the School, and he made a marked success of it. The exercises were very interesting, and everything passed off in the most satisfactory manner. There was a magnificent display of flowers, plants, ferns, etc.

The pastor of the M. E. church, Rev. H. Montgomery, was ill and unable to fill the sacred desk there and therefore less preparation was made for celebrating Christmas Sunday by the church and Sunday School than usual. Good music however was abundant and the new house of worship and the good people assembled in it wore a Christmas air, as was meant they should.

Other churches paid their respects to the joyful season, but the particular shape their rejoicings took can not been reported to this office.

Week of Prayer.

The Week of Prayer, in which all the Evangelical churches throughout Christendom annually engage, will begin on the evening of January 4, 1892, and continue full seven days.

The World's Evangelical Alliance, who are given the authority, have published the objects to be prayed for on each day during the Week.

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the best in the world. Never argue or make you sick. They are purely vegetable, and will sure cure your bilious trouble. All who use them speak well of them. Sold by all druggists.

We are opening New Holiday Goods every day and shall from now to Christmas.

Holiday trade is not left now for the day before Christmas but begins just as soon as that Thanksgiving is eaten.

Among the new and early arrivals are some we wish you to see at once before the assortments are broken.

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A NICE PARTY.

Christmas Day at the home of A. W. Ryerson in this village will long be pleasantly remembered. The programme for the Day was an elaborate one.

In the morning the family and a few invited guests gathered around a beautiful Christmas Tree bountifully loaded with presents, among which was a valuable gold-headed ebony cane presented to Mr. A. W. Ryerson by his employees; also, a fine scarf pin, and many other presents. Other gifts were a fine dining set and parlor lamp for Mrs. E. A. Ryerson; a long cloak and gold pin for Miss F. E. Ryerson; a diamond bracelet and feather fan for Miss Hyla Skillings, a friend of the family. Many others were given and received in the spirit of Christianity, including a large amount of silverware.

Mrs. Henry S. Smith officiated at the Tree which took two hours to unload.

A sumptuous dinner followed at which 25 persons sat and feasted to their fill. After dinner, to enhance fun a sprig of mistletoe was suspended from the ceiling in the dining-room. The room was then cleared and the hard birch floor was waxed for the performances, and no repetition.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.

The action of the "Star" can be seen here only this week. Next Monday night a strong company will present "Woman against Woman". The piece is one that will certainly interest everyone who will be fortunate enough to attend. There will however, be seven distinct plays for the seven performances, and no repetition.

At 7 o'clock, p. m., invited guests began to arrive to form a large farewell party to Mr. and Mrs. Ryerson previous to their business trip South, and as a "send-off" to the same.

The programme for the evening consisted of dancing, recitations, singing, and a number of beautiful tableaux, viz.: Niobe, Flora, She, The Bride, Rock of Ages, Listening. Fine music for the dance was furnished by players on the harp and violin. There were also choruses, solos, and other musical delights.

At 12 midnight ice cream was furnished from Oak Grove Farm.

The party broke up at 2:30 a. m. It was a brilliant success in all ways. The lady guests were very attractively robed. Among the most notable were: Miss H. Skilling of Boston was lovely in pink lansdown with diamonds; Miss Helen Nichols dressed beautifully in cream albums trimmed with cream satin and lace, and red plums; Miss Eva Smith of Boston in pea-green berretta, velvet trimmings, and roses; Miss Isabella Langmaid of Concord, Mass., in white lansdown and plums; Mrs. Skilling was very handsome in a black dress with diamond ornaments.

The other guests were: Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Willoughby, Miss Abbie Richardson, Mr. John Richardson, Walter Poole, Gus, Tarr, Fred Drew, H. S. Smith, all of North Woburn; Frank L. Howarth, Meriden, Conn.; J. F. Williams, Gloucester, Mass.; Charles H. Mosley, Winchester, Mass.; W. D. Arnold, Charlestown; Fannie McKimran, Andover, Mass.; Mrs. Lizzie E. Langmaid, Concord, Mass.; Mrs. Octavia McKimran, Cardiff, Eng.; Mr. T. J. Graham, Mrs. B. J. Smith, Miss Lilly Smith, Mrs. Merritt, all of Boston.

Burlington.

It may be a "cold comfort" to the sufferers from "la grippe" or influenza to know that a similar epidemic prevailed in this vicinity a century ago.

Rev. John Marrett, the third minister of the church in Woburn Precent, now Burlington, in a letter to his kinsman, Rev. Isaiah Dunster of Harwich, dated May 25, 1790, writes:

"We have not had ye Measles tho' [they] have been all round us. It has been sickly & a time of mortality in many places, this spring, with us general healthy. The Distemper called ye Influenza has prevailed. I have been confined with it about 10 days. But now well, as we all are."

In his diary for that season we find recorded an unusual number of visits to the sick.

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## BOSTON THEATRES.

### THE PARK.

The success of Mr. Neil Burgess and "The County Fair" at the Park Theatre is best described by the word phenomenal. As a rule, when a play is put up for a long run it opens to big business, and this continues for a time, after which there is a drop in receipts for a time, and then again a recovery of the former business, but again a recession of "The County Fair" the business has kept steadily large. There has been no indications of falling interest in Mr. Burgess or his attraction. The Park was packed every night last week and at every performance this week.

### THE GLOBE.

The second and last week of the engagement of "Blue Jeans" comes to an end, and the Globe is filled with an enthusiastic audience. "Blue Jeans" is a delightful and thoroughly entertaining play, and it is well staged and finely acted at the Globe. Next week "Sinbad" will be given, a fine spectacular production.

### BOSTON MUSEUM.

"Masks and Faces" will be given next Monday evening. The Museum's Old Comedy season bids fair to be a success. To-morrow "School for Scandal" will be given in a benefit to Miss Annie Clarke. The cast in "Masks and Faces" is a delightful and thoroughly entertaining play, and it is well staged and finely acted at the Globe. Next

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Frost and Pure Air.

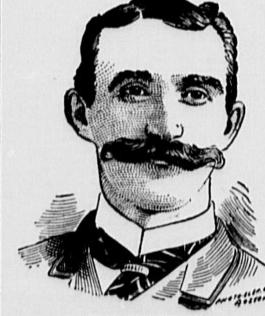
A Parisian scientist, while testifying to the greater purity of the air in the vicinity of forests, does not attribute the cause to a greater richness in oxygen—the quantity of the latter being the same in the atmosphere of woods as in plains—but to the absence of those agents which vitiate the atmosphere of towns. When forests are not surrounded by marshes, a well-tended garden is next to exempt from epidemics. Versailles is a case in point. It is surrounded by a screen of forests; epidemics are unknown, yet the city has the most wretched water.—St. Paul Pioneer-Press.

Vest of Two Centuries Ago.

G. Rowley Ford has in his possession a vest which belonged to his ancestors in England in King George's time, some 200 years ago. It has twenty buttons on it, made of pearl, inlaid with gold; it has ten pockets, richly embroidered with silver lace. While on a vacation to the old homeland in the suburbs of Hove he discovered this ancient vest in an unused attic. It is changeable in its color, having at night the appearance of a night-blooming cereus.—Newburyport Standard.

Consumption Cured.

An old physician, retired from practice, having no dependents, resided by a river in India misnaming the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure for Consumption, and Nervous system diseases. After having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, he felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I sent it to Germany, France and America, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper. W. A. NOYES, 820 Powers' Block, Rochester, N. Y.



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I used ointments, salves, etc., and took medicine prescribed by the best physicians in the city, but got no permanent relief.

I had sold hundreds of bottles of DANAS' SARSAPARILLA, but never thought of trying it myself, and heard nothing of my customers telling how much benefit they had derived from its use.

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Kept a Dog All the Same.

"Does Mr. Goodheart live here?"

The third house up the road there."

"Mr. Goodheart is very popular among his neighbors!"

"He is that. But then he deserves to be, for he treats everybody with respect and confidence. He is a believer in his fellow man, says every man is good and only needs to be trusted to show his goodness. Repose confidence in your fellow creatures, he says, and your fellow creatures will show themselves worthy of it."

"Third house up the road, you say?"

"Yes, you can't miss it. It's the one with 'Beware of the Dog,' on the gate. You'd better look out for that dog, too, for he's mighty big and savage!"—Cape Cod Item.

A CARELESS INTRODUCTION.

A Young Society Woman Accepted, a Lover Whose Name She Did Not Know.

"Miss M., may I introduce Mr. —?" said her hostess, bringing up tall, good-looking young fellow to the pretty debutante, who bowed without, however, catching his name. The young people proved to be congenial, and after several dances he asked and obtained permission to call on his way through P., her native town. The next morning, as her visit was over, the left for home, quite forgetting to inquire the name of her new admirer.

One afternoon, about a week later, on returning from a shopping expedition, she met her quondam acquaintance at a hotel, and in some confusion the girl mumbled out an introduction, hoping that he would not discover that she was completely ignorant of his name. "If I had only come to you the day before, how would I have saved myself?" she said after he had gone. "I wonder if I shall ever know who he is."

Not long afterward the family physician urged a change for Mrs. M., and she concluded to take her two daughters and spend a month or two in southern California. By an odd coincidence the unknown proved to be a "compagnon de voyage" across the continent. Putting himself, at once upon the footing of an old friend, he contrived to make himself useful in a variety of ways and the four became quite intimate during the week's journey. Arriving at San Francisco their paths separated. "I shall turn up, however, in Santa Barbara, if you will let me," were his last words, with an ardent look at Miss M.—which she received with a blush, showing that the week's intimacy had had its effect upon her as well.

It would take too long to tell of the strange chance or mishance which prevented them from learning his name. He talked so freely of their numerous mutual acquaintances, and he seemed so unexpected himself, that Miss B.—felt that with the information of an introduction from her friend with whom her daughter had been staying he was a proper acquaintance. Only the awkwardness of the question kept them from inquiring his name.

Affairs ripened rapidly, as they always do under such circumstances, and Miss B.—was not surprised when the incognito told her that he loved her dearly and fair would make her his wife. "Call me George, dear," he said, after she had confessed that his feelings were reciprocated, and even then she had not the courage to ask him, "George what?"

"Mamma, it is too absurd," she said hysterically afterward in her mother's room. "You will have to find out, and oh, if I should have to be Mrs. —something dreadful! I feel that it is Brown or Jones"—and oddly enough it proved to be "Brown."—New York Tribune.

Curious Colors Seen by the Eye.

A paper on a curious but interesting subject has been presented to the Paris Academy of Sciences by M. A. Chauveau. He finds that the excitation of the retina of one eye by colored light influences the optic nerves of the other eye as well, in such a manner, that, while the eye acted upon indirectly sees the color, the retina actually excited sees the complementary color. Observe a white surface with one eye for a short time through a bit of colored glass; then when the glass is removed the white surface appears to be tinted with the complementary color.

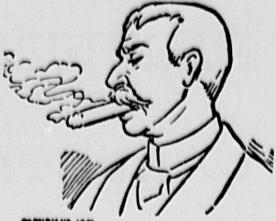
That is a comparatively well known fact; but what M. Chauveau points out is that if the eye first used is closed, and the white surface is examined with the other, it appears to be of the same color as the glass. That would appear to show that the optic nerves of the closed eye are acted upon by those of the examining eye.—English Mechanic.

Religious Strength in China.

We think of China as the land of Confucius, and do not realize that it has as many sects and religions as America has.

About one-third of the whole Mohammedan world is in China, and of every ten Chinamen one is Mohammedan.

You find mosques in Pekin and Canton, and there are 200,000 followers of the prophet in Pekin. There are 3,000,000 Mohammedans in China, 1,000,000 Roman Catholics and 50,000 Protestant Christians. The Jews tried to get a foothold in China. There were some of them there at the time of Marco Polo, but they have been swelled up by the Chinese, have lost



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for any contribution to the Interest Account, for the reason that the premiums derived from Bonds sold, and the interest obtained from the deposit of the proceeds of their sale while waiting drafts for construction, will yield a sum sufficient. We shall, however, be obliged to contribute to the Sinking Fund and possibly to contribute more than the amount above stated as the annual charge for that requirement. This may happen for the reason that no change was made upon us in 1891, the first year of the system, on account of litigation, testing the constitutionality of the Act, which delayed the appointment of the Commission and their report beyond the time when the Sinking Fund requirement for 1891 should be assessed. Should the Sinking Fund requirement for 1891 be assessed in 1892, it will make the amount we shall be called upon to pay this year \$1,400. Should, however, the 1891 requirement be distributed over a period of four years as is being considered, we shall be called upon to pay for this year and the three succeeding years the sum of \$875.00 for this charge.

## WOBURN SEWERAGE SYSTEM.

The Metropolitan Sewerage System does not provide for the construction or maintenance of local sewers. Its purpose is only to furnish a means of disposal of the local sewerage which may be conveyed to it. To avail ourselves of the benefits of the Metropolitan System the last City Government initiated measures looking to the formation of a local sewerage system. At its suggestion the Legislature of 1891 passed an Act to provide for the establishment of a Board of Sewerage Commissioners for the City of Woburn and to define their powers and duties. Such a Commission has been appointed and is now organized. This Commission has power to procure plans for the establishment of a local system of sewerage, make contracts for its construction and regulate its maintenance and the discharge of its sewerage into the pipes of the Metropolitan System. The Commission has employed as its Engineer, M. M. Tidd Esq., of this city, well known as one thoroughly qualified for the duties of this responsible position. Surveys are now being made and the topographical and grade plans are being prepared preliminary to the work of construction.

Before the work of construction can begin the plans must be submitted to the City Council for approval, and funds provided by the Council for the expense of construction. As to the sewerage, it will be your duty to furnish the necessary funds for their preparation, but I do not anticipate that you will be called upon to provide funds for the construction of the sewer. The Metropolitan Sewerage Commissioners do not expect to complete their system until August 1, 1894. It does not therefore seem advisable for us to immediately commence to construct our local system, as it will be impossible for us to operate it until the Metropolitan System is ready to receive our sewerage. It would not be financial prudence to incur indebtedness for the local sewer, pay interest upon that indebtedness, and make annual proportionate payments of the principal sum in advance of the use of the sewer. If the construction of our local system shall commence in 1893, there will be ample time to complete it before August 1, 1894, when the Metropolitan System will be in operation. These two systems, the Metropolitan Sewerage System, and the Woburn Sewerage System, have entirely distinct functions and are offered and managed by two distinct Commissions. The expense entailed upon the city by the former is beyond our control, but the expense of the latter system is within the control of the City Council. I recommend that the City Council that measures be taken at once for the proper observance of the anniversary of the incorporation of the city in this connection.

Many of the early settlers here have among us numerous descendants bearing still their familiar names. To those honored names are now added many equally worthy. And all alike, grateful for our heritage and loyal to our traditions, may join in the exercises of an occasion intended and fit to honor the birthday either of our original or adopted home. O Woburn as a city we in this connection need say but little. It is too early to speak of our history, we need only to bear in mind that of the twenty-eight cities in our Commonwealth Woburn is, in the date of its incorporation the twenty-fifth, three only being younger, and the smallest of the twenty-seven has a population of about three hundred more than we register. With Woburn as a city, however, our present and prospective legislation must have to do. This is of necessity true even of our preparations to celebrate the incorporation and history of Woburn as a town. I would therefore recommend to the City Council that measures be taken at once for the proper observance of the anniversary of the incorporation of the city in this connection.

THE METROPOLITAN SEWERAGE SYSTEM. The Metropolitan Sewerage Act, as it is called, provides for the building of a trunk sewer to receive and carry to the ocean the sewerage of Woburn and certain other towns and cities, which together form a district to be known as the Metropolitan Sewerage District. Such a trunk sewer is now in process of construction. When it is completed our city will be furnished with an outlet for our local sewerage, and will then no longer incur the wrath of our neighboring towns and cities lying between us and the sea, who have ever strenuously opposed our obeying the laws of gravity and availing ourselves of the means which had been furnished to us of sending our sewerage by natural channels through their borders to the sea. We shall appreciate the benefits which we shall derive from the system. At this time it seems proper that we should consider the expense which it may entail upon us. The entire cost of the Metropolitan Sewerage System is estimated at \$5,000,000. Bonds for that amount have been authorized, and over \$3,000,000 have already been issued. These bonds are written to bear interest at the rate of 3 per cent per annum, and those already sold have commanded a premium. The annual interest charge for the system will therefore be \$150,000. To meet the payment at maturity of the principal of this indebtedness, a Sinking Fund has been established and for the ten years ending 1899 an annual contribution to it of about \$23,000 will be required. When the system shall be in complete operation, it is estimated that the annual cost of its maintenance will be \$89,000. The Act provides for the appointment by the Supreme Judicial Court of a Commission to apportion this expense equitably among the cities and towns comprising the Metropolitan Sewerage District. Such a Commission has been appointed, has given hearings and has made a report which will doubtless be accepted by the Court. From this report it is possible to determine with substantial accuracy what the system will cost our city for the five years from 1891 to 1895 inclusive. The Commissioners find that Woburn should contribute toward the Sinking Fund and the Interest Account 3.07 per cent of the whole requirement, and should contribute toward the cost of maintenance and operation of the system 2.99 per cent of the whole cost. Applying these percentages to the amounts above given as the requirements and cost of the whole system, we shall have the annual expense to be borne by our city after the system shall be fully constructed and in complete running order. The results thus obtained are \$700.00 for Sinking Fund requirements; \$4,600 for Interest Account, and \$2,600 for cost of maintenance; in all less than \$8,000. This does not seem an excessive price for us to pay for the privilege of having our sewerage disposed of after we shall have gathered it in our local sewer. For the present year we shall not be called upon to contribute anything for the maintenance of the sewer, as it is not yet in operation. It is not likely moreover that we shall be called upon

## INAUGURAL ADDRESS.

The address delivered by Mayor Edward Everett Thompson after being duly induced into office and securely seated therein last Monday was a good one viewed from any standpoint that one might choose for an inspection of it. It was a public document that would compare favorably with the best that has emanated from a Mayor's pen this year, and as worthy of being preserved among the city's archives as any one that has preceded it. Mayor Thompson need fear no adverse criticism on his "maiden effort" from any quarter which means to be fair and is unbiased in feeling.

In the matter of a financial policy Mayor Thompson follows that of Mayor Bean and Mayor Johnson as closely as the conditions will admit of. And why not? Mayor Johnson was the author of the policy; Mayor Bean could do no otherwise than accept it; and the latest incumbent of the Chair, being a person of a good deal more than ordinary financial ability and training, must of sheer necessity say, suggest and promise just what we find in his Inaugural on the subject of city receipts and expenditures. Under the financial policy inaugurated by Mayor Johnson and adopted by Mayor Bean the city has prospered. Taxes have been reduced, large payments made on the public debt, the amount of city property increased, while the improvements in the various Departments have been varied, important, and permanent. If Mayor Thompson had not accepted a policy to the workings of which the above benefits were due he would have subjected himself to well-merited criticism as a guardian of the city's interests.

Our new Mayor makes many fair promises concerning what, with the cooperation of the Council, he intends to do for the public weal the current year, and nobody who knows him doubts that his promises will be fulfilled. He assures us that lower taxes may be confidently expected from the present administration; that still better roads and sidewalks will be made and maintained; that we revive and keep fresh in our minds the memory of those who founded and defended our old town in its younger, weaker and comparatively defenseless years.

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Before the work of construction can begin the plans must be submitted to the City Council for approval, and funds provided by the Council for the expense of construction. As to the sewerage, it will be your duty to furnish the necessary funds for their preparation, but I do not anticipate that you will be called upon to provide funds for the construction of the sewer. The Metropolitan Sewerage Commissioners do not expect to complete their system until August 1, 1894. It does not therefore seem advisable for us to immediately commence to construct our local system, as it will be impossible for us to operate it until the Metropolitan System is ready to receive our sewerage. It would not be financial prudence to incur indebtedness for the local sewer, pay interest upon that indebtedness, and make annual proportionate payments of the principal sum in advance of the use of the sewer. If the construction of our local system shall commence in 1893, there will be ample time to complete it before August 1, 1894, when the Metropolitan System will be in operation. These two systems, the Metropolitan Sewerage System, and the Woburn Sewerage System, have entirely distinct functions and are offered and managed by two distinct Commissions. The expense entailed upon the city by the former is beyond our control, but the expense of the latter system is within the control of the City Council. I recommend that the City Council that measures be taken at once for the proper observance of the anniversary of the incorporation of the city in this connection.

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Capable men fill both Boards. There are more practical ideas among them than usual. There will be less politics this year than last. The public good will be the watchword. We expect to see all the branches of the city government work shoulder to shoulder, animated by a single purpose; and at the close of the year they, we are sure, will be able to give a good and satisfactory account their stewardship.

## THE OFFICES.

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Taking up the practice where his father, now hoary headed and rheumatic, laid it down Harry Hartwell will next preach next Sabbath morning instead of in the evening at the M. E. Church as sickness in his family will prevent his coming in the evening. I make this statement that the people may know of the change as he was announced for the evening. His subject will be "Heaven." All who can come will be welcome.—HUGH MONTGOMERY, Pastor.

Druggist Whittaker has a change in his card this week which is worthy of attention.

There was some difficulty at Murdock's factory last Tuesday over the question of pay.

It is Leap Year. Girls, put your best foot forward! It may be now or never with you.

Mr. Edward Richards of Fairmount st. is also recovering from a severe illness. Glad of it.

## "Nationalism," Etc.

Rev. James Kay Applebee of Alston read a paper before the Woburn Woman's Club on January the first entitled "Nationalism. An Exposition and a Defense." To those who have read Bellamy's "Looking Backward" this lecture contained ideas that were startlingly new. The lecturer said he became a Socialist forty years ago when he made his first public address in behalf of some striking shoe-makers; and that he became a convert to Nationalism after reading Bellamy's book.—G. M. B.

Two HUNDRED AND FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY.

My predecessor in office in his address called attention one year since to the near approach of the two hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the incorporation of Charlestown Village as a separate municipality bearing the name of Woburn. The Act of incorpora-

tion was passed September 27, 1642, old style, which according to our present reckoning is October 7. Nearly two years before this, thirty-two Commissioners had signed the two orders, and at the time of the incorporation the settlement was well established, embracing originally the greater part of what is now Burlington, Wilmington and Winchester. Wilmington was set off and incorporated as a separate town in 1730. Burlington sixty years later in 1790, and Winchester in 1850.

Woburn was the thirtieth town in Massachusetts in the order of the date of incorporation, there having been incorporated in 1620, Plymouth; two in 1623, Salem and Charlestown; five in 1630, Boston, Watertown, Dorchester, Roxbury and Medford; one in 1633, Cambridge; two in 1634, Ipswich and Newbury; and Worcester; four in 1635, Concord, Westford, Hingham and Newbury; three in 1636, Springfield, Dedham and Seaford; two in 1637, Duxbury and Lynn; six in 1639, Barnstable, Sandwich, Yarmouth, Gloucester, Sudbury and Rowley; and three in 1640, Saltonstall, Braintree and Marshfield. The details of our early history as a town, both civil and religious, will be more appropriately introduced at the approaching anniversary on the seventh day of next October. We may well emphasize the declaration that it is a dictate of obvious propriety that that day should be suitably observed and marked.

The City Clerk Moreland had quite a smart walk with the grip the other day and came out on top, as he generally does.

The City Council of 1891 held its final meeting on Thursday evening, Dec. 31, and closed up the year's business in good order.

The JOURNAL told the public three weeks ago that City Clerk Moreland would be his own successor. How was that for a prophet!

Read the announcement of Mr. Bonelli, the Franklin street dry goods dealer, in the Franklin Standard, this week.

Two weeks ago Dennis Murray while cutting an apple scratched his hand with the knife and blood poisoning setting in he died last Tuesday.

Mr. M. W. True, Chairman of the Ward and City Committees, has had a tough pull with the grip but is now on the high road to complete recovery.

Bro. E. G. Clough conducted the prayer meeting at the M. E. Church last Tuesday evening. It was another good Week of Prayer gathering.

Rumor said last week that Dr. Harry Blake and his brother-in-law Mr. Frank Atwood were very sick when both were together at the Ely Brothers' residence.

Everybody will be glad to know that L. L. Whitney, Esq., took his dose of grip calmly, bravely, and came out of it safely. We congratulate Esquire Whitney on his recover.

Comrade Charles S. Jones is meeting with gratifying success as agent for procuring pensions for old soldiers. He gets prompt returns and does the business cheap.

Last Sunday was a day of rest and the kind to fill the churches. But the prevailing distemper kept many away from the house of the Lord and the congregations were not large.

Mr. Charles H. Haber, an employee of several years standing of a big cigar factory at Gardner, Mass., is visiting at the home of his mother, Mrs. Charles Haber, 45 Mt. Pleasant street.

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In token of respect to the memory of Mr. Frank D. Dodge the merchants of this city closed their places of business, and the Congregational church bell tolled, during his funeral on Friday last. Dr. March conducted the religious exercises; the Ruggles Street Male Quartet, one of the most famous in Boston, furnished the music; and when the casket was lowered into the ground the congregation sang "Nearer My God to Thee."

When the service was over the undertakers removed the casket from the hearse and carried it to the church. The Rev. Dr. Gilman, pastor of the First Congregational church, conducted the service.

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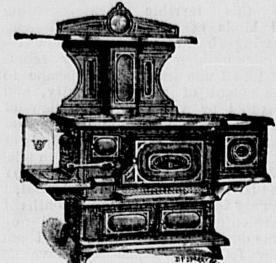
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#### Library Notes.

At the last meeting of the Board of Trustees the Librarian presented his annual report containing a review of the work for the year. The following are some of the statistics which may be of interest to our readers:

Whole number of volumes in the Library 29,448; number of books distributed for home use 60,238; largest number given out in one day, 600; smallest 56; an average of 206 per day; 940 books have been added by purchase, while quite a good number have been received by gift, prominent among these is the collection of 490 Congressional volumes presented by the Hon. Edward D. Hayden. This gift of our townsmen will increase in value as the years roll on as it contains the official records of the late war, and many other volumes that are not usually found in a public library, it will also serve as a pleasant reminder of Woburn's first Congressman.

Books of special importance that have been added are: "The Life of Columbus" by Justin Winsor; "Siberia and the Exile System" by George Kennan in two volumes. This work presents a dark picture of the exile system and the Russian Government. The writer has succeeded in giving a clear and vivid impression of the severity, the people and the customs of Siberia. The work is finely illustrated and exhibits the physical features of this vast country as they have never before been portrayed.

"England and the English" by William C. Sydney, is a study of the manners, and the general social condition of the English people in the eighteenth century, an age which, in spite of its close proximity to that in which we live and notwithstanding the many books which have been written to illustrate its history, is perhaps more imperfectly known than any of those which immediately preceded it. The reader is introduced into the world and time of Pope, Addison, Goldsmith, Dr. Johnson, Horace Walpole, Lady Montague, and Mrs. Delany; he is carried back to the days when men were attired in richly embroidered velvet coats and women in hoop petticoats carrying huge decorated fans accompanied by black boys and curly lap-dogs.

"A Year in Portugal from 1889-'90" is the journal of the late Dr. George B. Loring in which he gives a view of the life of an American Minister abroad. Written in the easy and graceful style of the accomplished and scholarly diplomat, he not only delights the reader but gives pleasant sketches of Lisbon "with its steep hill streets, its mouldy grandeur, its calm old age?" Coimbra and the great Monastery of Marfaria where for a hundred and seventy years the wonderful chimes of bells, sweet in tone, impressive in power, are worked by their machinery as perfectly now as when they were erected; and he also writes of Naples, Pompeii and Rome. In Rome he found Story whom he says was a classmate and a fellow-southerner, and a most vital guest.

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### SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

### THAT WAR CLOUD.

For a month or more prior to last week the leading papers of the country, excepting the WOBURN JOURNAL, knew for a positive fact that hostilities between the United States and Chili were unavoidable. There was no alternative—war must come.

Last week the matter wore an entirely different aspect. The relations between the two nations became all of a sudden much more pacific. A better understanding, some concessions, and a new hand at the wheel of Chilean Ship of State would result in apologies, indemnifications, and peace directly, none of the papers doubted.

This week the war spirit is on top again, and the leading papers, except THE JOURNAL, are more certain than they have been at any time before that a fight must come.

At no time have said papers received intelligence from the State Department to warrant their conclusions as to peace or war.

The JOURNAL believes now, just as it has all along, that there will be no war between the United States and Chili now or hereafter.

### ON THE COMMITTEES.

The JOURNAL is in nowise interested in the legislative Committees excepting as they may be connected with Woburn. To which fact the reader may ascribe the absence of all names on said committees in this item except that of Senator Edwin F. Wyer (5th Senatorial District) who is Chairman of the Joint Standing Committee on Water Supply, and member of committee on Military Affairs, and of Special Committee on Administrative Boards and Commissions—three important places as there are in the Legislature.

Major H. C. Hall is a member of the Joint Standing Committee on Federal Relations and on Manufactures, which are also important ones.

Representative Thomas D. Hevey was placed on the Joint Standing Committee on Constitutional Amendments—a place of honor and responsibility.

### TEMPERANCE LEGISLATION.

We hoped to have seen this initiation steps taken towards the enactment of more stringent temperance laws by the present General Court. We hoped to have seen something done towards securing prohibition this winter, but the prospect is far from encouraging. We hoped to have seen temperance people moving on the works of the enemy before now; but alas, the professed temperance champion is too often but a broken reed, and we fear that the Republicans in the Legislature cannot be depended on for radical temperance legislation this winter.

### UNANIMOUSLY.

Just as we expected would be the case, Hon. William P. Barrett was elected Speaker of the Massachusetts House of Representatives at the organization of the Legislature of 1892 last week Wednesday by a unanimous vote.

It was his fourth election to that elevated position, and the honor he received has hardly ever before been bestowed on a candidate for Speaker in this State.

Barrett always makes connections.

### LOCAL NEWS.

#### New Advertisements.

B. S. Hinckley—“Bugle.”  
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#### Job Work.

Job printing is done as neatly, as promptly, and at as low prices, at the JOURNAL office as at any establishment in Middlesex County. Entire satisfaction in quality of work and prices is guaranteed—it.

The grip is rapidly on the decrease in Boston.

Lawyer Curran has got back from the Central House, has pneumonia.

Mr. James L. Fowle, of the G. R. Gage & Co. establishment, is nearly well.

Are you interested in the High School? If so, subscribe for the Bugle.

The weather all this week has been fine for the grip but bad for its victims.

Edward L. Shea of Union street has got pretty well over his attack of the grip.

There was another slight snowfall last Monday. It did not amount to anything.

Dr. March ventured out last Tuesday which was the first time in several days.

Thanks to Hon. H. H. Goodell for Agricultural College Bulletin concerning Fish.

Crystal Fount Mutual Benefit Association held their annual meeting last evening.

Mr. Fred B. Leeds is employed at Buss's drugstore. He is a rattling good druggist.

Mr. Sparrow Horton is gaining, but it is very slowly indeed. He'll get about again soon.

It is quite likely that a lot on Salem Street will be decided on for a site for the Armory.

Rev. Hugh Montgomery has recovered from a serious illness and will preach next Sunday.

Postmaster Wyman is having some radical changes made in the arrangement of his office.

Auctioneer Prior sold the stock of Mr. Morris, the old furniture dealer on Main Street, last week.

E. A. Holbrook of Winchester had Light Brahma Cockerels for sale. Read his card in this paper.

Shawsheen Tribe of Red Men held a powwow last Wednesday evening at which Chiefs were raised.

The drill of the W. H. S. B. will take place on Jan. 22. It promises to be an attractive and lively affair.

There is a brilliant floral display in one of the windows in Horton's book-store and many stop to look at it.

Miss Ellard of Cummingsville has been very sick, but is better. She has many friends who will be glad of it.

Sleighbelling parties were quite numerous last week and the din of horns nearly cracked the firmament.

Editor W. F. Kenney has returned a brief but pleasant trip to Washington, D. C., and Richmond, Va.

The 3d officers party is to be given in honor of the present officers of the W. H. S. B. That is what it is for.

The A. B. Taylor Mfg. Co. of New York issued a very neat calendar for 1892 and for one of them we return thanks.

The boys and girls have enjoyed dead loads of fun with their sleds this week. There has been some splendid coasting.

Supt. Jones put men on to clean out the street gutters and crossings Wednesday afternoon which favor was appreciated.

Mrs. Bulfinch, mother of Mr. Henry Bulfinch, the Main street market man, is just getting over her third attack of grip.

Gage & Co. will take account of stock on Feb. 1. In the mean time they will sell off winter goods at a great sacrifice.

Dea. Gage is stronger and better than last week. We hope to see him on the street again when clear weather comes once more.

Our friend Mr. George W. Kimball and his little grandchild, who were so very sick, are out of danger and improving rapidly.

Prof. W. S. Battis, Reader and Impersoner, will appear at Miss Fosdick's Concert in Lyceum Hall on Thursday evening, Jan. 21st.

The New England Tariff Reform League will please accept the JOURNAL's thanks for a copy of the “New England Almanac” for 1892.

The First Congregational Society are preparing for a supper on a large scale. It is to be rather a grand affair as we understand it.

John Johnson, Esq., was quite under the weather last week, but is much better. He was at no time in a dangerous condition.

Mr. Benj. S. Hinckley is business manager of the Bugle. He will be glad to receive your subscription, forty cents for ten numbers.

It is said that a financial establishment is about to be opened in this city which will probably find that “Jordan” is a hard road to travel.”

A big rainstorm prevailed all the latter part of Tuesday night and far into Wednesday. It made abominable getting about by pedestrians.

Rev. Dr. March is sufficiently recovered to be able to preach at his church next Sunday. His theme will be “Alpha and Omega.”

Mr. Rufus Smith of Auburn street is down with the prevailing distemper. It is expected that he will soon reappear on the streets.

The Mendelsohn Male Quartette of Boston at Miss Fosdick's Concert, Jan. 21st, is alone attraction enough to fill every seat in Lyceum Hall.

We are grieved to hear that the old and popular B. & M. passenger conductor, Mr. Richard (“Dick”) Carton, is ill with pneumonia.

Good neighbor Nichols is watching Horn Pond with a critic's eye. If there is any ice on it this winter he is bound to have his share of it.

Veterans entitled to pensions under the latest act of Congress will do well to employ Comrade Charles S. Jones to make their applications for them.

Mr. C. M. Muuro will open his great mark-down sale of clothing tomorrow, 16th. He has marked everything down to the very lowest figure. See ad.

It is seldom that one has to endure so much traveling than that of Wednesday after the rain stopped and the fog got in its work where it would do the most good.

On Monday forenoon a burning chimney at East Woburn brought out the firemen. In the evening there was a small blaze at McGrath's store on Main Street.

Last Friday evening the recently elected officers of Burbank's Relief Corps No. 84, was duly installed by Mrs. Mary E. Knowles and staff at G. A. Hall.

Thrifty housewives always keep an eye on the advertisement of Fitz & Stanley of the Boston Branch in the JOURNAL because there is money in it. Look at it today.

Mr. John Connolly, ex-Janitor of the City Building, is employed as a night watchman at Russell's heel-stitching factory at a good salary. He will fill the bill to a T.

John W. Johnson, Esq., drew up the last will and testament of the late Mr. Daniel McCarthy on December 24. It is understood that the deceased left quite a snug little fortune.

People who have tested the virtues of the cough syrup manufactured and sold by Mr. B. A. Tripp say it is the best and surest they ever used. No question is made on the statement.

Mr. Sparrow Horton is gaining, but it is very slowly indeed. He'll get about again soon.

It is quite likely that a lot on Salem Street will be decided on for a site for the Armory.

Rev. Hugh Montgomery has recovered from a serious illness and will preach next Sunday.

Postmaster Wyman is having some radical changes made in the arrangement of his office.

We have received a copy of the Annual Report of Tufts College for 1890-91, from which it appears that the institution has never been in a condition so flourishing as at the present time.

In both design and finish the calendar for 1892 issued by E. A. Webster photo-engraver, 7 Exchange Pl., Boston, is the neatest, handsomest and most artistic of any we have yet seen. Thanks.

A. F. Converse, Esq., of this city has entered into copartnership with Stephen H. Tyng, Esq., leading Boston lawyer, for the practice of the legal profession at the Hub. It is generally understood that Lawyer Converse has a good standing at the Suffolk Bar, and as the senior partner is a lawyer of wide reputation and large practice, there seems to be no good reason why the partnership may not be a successful one.

The City Press of date January 8 contained an elaborate biographical sketch of our venerable friend of Kirby street, Mr. Jacob Wright. It was very exhaustive in detail and proved interesting reading. Mr. Wright was born on Jan. 10, 1809, and is an old landmark in the business and social life of Woburn that everybody hopes may stand for many years to come. No man is more highly esteemed or better liked than Mr. Jacob Wright.

City Auditor Preston's “General Debt Statement” for the year ending Dec. 31, 1891, gave the financial standing of the city so plainly and succinctly that even a man on horseback need never be deceived by it, anyway. The cases of pneumonia have not been numerous, but severe.

Mr. Estabrook, the baker, is at his business post again. He has had a very long and severe sickness from which many thought he would never recover. We are all glad that he is at work once more.

The Burdett Business College of Boston stands at the very head of the heap of schools of the kind. It has pupils from all over the Union and nowhere could they obtain a more thorough business education.

Edward Doyle of Lawrence, who has been a clerk in Druggist Lowell's store in this city for some time, passed a successful examination at the Boston College of Pharmacy last week. Monday now is a new and full-blown P. G. day.

Mr. Samuel Skelton, who put a bullet from a 32-caliber pistol square through his body last week at his boarding house on Bennett street, will undoubtedly fully recover. So says Dr. Chalmers, his attending physician.

Drillmaster Conn says that the tickets for the W. H. S. B. drill, which will be held on Jan. 22nd at the Rink, are going like hot biscuits buttered on both sides. Everybody wants to buy them.

Dea. Gage is stronger and better than last week. We hope to see him on the street again when clear weather comes once more.

Our friend Mr. George W. Kimball and his little grandchild, who were so very sick, are out of danger and improving rapidly.

Prof. W. S. Battis, Reader and Impersoner, will appear at Miss Fosdick's Concert in Lyceum Hall on Thursday evening, Jan. 21st.

The JOURNAL improves this week to make its manners to the Woburn Woman's Club for an invitation to attend their annual Social and Supper kindly forwarded by Mrs. Adelaide B. Porter, Corresponding Clerk of the Club. The date fixed on for the event is Wednesday evening, Jan. 17.

Mrs. Hitchcock made a strong appeal for material aid for Strait University at New Orleans in the lecture-room of the Congregational church on last Sunday evening. She is to be a teacher in the University for some 8 years and the same having suffered from fire recently her deep interest led her to take the field in its behalf.

What an idiotic idea to suspect Daniel McCarthy to have been murdered! His house caught fire and while attempting to escape from it he was suffocated and fell close to the door which he vainly tried to find, and where he was found by the men and others. There was absolutely nothing on which to base a suspicion of foul play.

Edmund H. Haggans of Union street in this city was one of the oldest and best known locomotive engineers on the B. & M. Railroad. He died at his home last Monday night after a painful illness. Engineer Haggans will be deeply mourned by his family and a large circle of good, warm friends. For four years past he has been railroading in this city.

The City Press of last Wednesday evening gave Woburn a terrible black eye. It was the toughest arraignment of the venerable municipality that we have ever seen in print. The esteemed Editor appeared to be angry—aye, “as mad as a hen hung in the fence.” But some other people, we bet, were mad too when they read the City Press’ hot but all too truthful words.

The Third Officers Party will be given on the evening of Jan. 26, instant, for which extensive arrangements are underway. J. Howard Richardson's celebrated Boston Orchestra will furnish music for the occasion which is equal to saying it will be the best there is. A military ball is generally a gay affair but this will go ahead of the best of them.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Woburn First National Bank on Jan. 12, the following Board of Directors was chosen: John Johnson, John M. Harlow, Edward D. Hayden, Jacob Brown, Benjamin Hinckley, Julius F. Ramsdell, Charles A. Campbell; Trustees, James McDonald; Seneschal, Robert Duncan; Warden, Neil Campbell; Sentinel, Charles Black; Standard-bearer, Charles A. Campbell; Trustees, James Durward, W. F. Shaw and John Beaton.

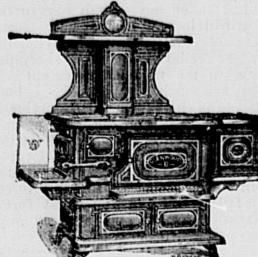
“Clarke's Outline of the Structure of the Pipe Organ” by William H. Clarke, organist at the Woburn First Congregational church, is a work which is highly spoken of by those who are able to appreciate its worth. It contains 150 pages of matter relating to the mechanism of the organ and the modern methods employed in building it. The author has set up and dedicated some of the largest pipe organs in this country and Canada, and the best musical circles of both have a tough enough time of it getting through the cold, stormy months of winter.

The following officers of Clan Mackinnon, No. 45, have just been installed by Grand Deputy Chief John Black and Grand Henchman Fullerton: Chief, Hugh Murray; Past-chief, Miss Georgia Gill of Portland, Oregon, next sang a solo, “Marguerite,” by McFarland, which showed much talent and fine training of the voice, and those who were not present missed much. The exercises closed with another piano solo by Miss Winn, “Meditation,” by Alfred Jaell.

The well-known artist, Albert Thompson, recently painted a portrait of Christine Kelley, daughter of Doctor Seth W. Kelley of this city, which good judges of such work pronounce first-rate quality both as to the faithfulness of the likeness to the original and in the matter of colors and handling of the brush. It is a full-length of the young lady, the face, etc., being a perfect portrait but it and its surroundings make a beautiful picture. In it Miss Christine stands at the entrance of Baldwin Grove, a favorite resort of picnickers in this city, where she is nearly surrounded by trees in full foliage, among which numerous White Birches stand out in relief and others intertwine their leafy branches overhead forming something like a great green arch to the woodland path. It is pretty bit of landscape as the eye of an artist could desire to rest on, and we suppose that, barring the customary “poetic license” to which artists lay claim along with the rhymers, the scene is a genuine one. But the best part of the picture to our thinking is the portrait of Miss Christine, and it is for that feature that it Mr. Thompson's admirable piece of work, executed with a fine sense of proportion, and we suppose that, barring the customary “poetic license” to which artists lay claim along with the rhymers, the scene is a genuine one. But the best part of the picture to our thinking is the portrait of Miss Christine, and it is for that feature that it Mr. Thompson's admirable piece of work, executed with a fine sense of proportion, and we suppose that, barring the customary “poetic license” to which artists lay claim along with the rhymers, the scene is a genuine one. But the best part of the picture to our thinking is the portrait of Miss Christine, and it is for that feature that it Mr. Thompson's admirable piece of work, executed with a fine sense of proportion, and we suppose that, barring the customary “poetic license” to which artists lay claim along with the rhymers, the scene is a genuine one. But the best part of the picture to our thinking is the portrait of Miss Christine, and it is for that feature that it Mr. Thompson's admirable piece of work, executed with a fine sense of proportion, and we suppose that, barring the customary “poetic license” to which artists lay

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### More about the Family of Winn

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### VIEW OF THE VILLAGE CHURCH IN RAUBON, NORTH WALES, DRAWN BY S. W. ABBOTT, AUGUST 1891.

Dr. Samuel W. Abbott, formerly of

Woburn, now of Wakefield, has sent

to the undersigned a drawing of the

village church in Raubon, North

Wales, which we may confidently as-

sure ourselves is the ancestral home of

the Winn family of Woburn in the old

country, or intimately connected therewith. It is the intention to de-

posit this picture with the archives of

Woburn Public Library as an interest-

ing contribution to the subject of the

history of the family of Winn. The

public has read with interest the arti-

cles which Dr. Abbott has skillfully

printed in this paper concerning his

visit to this ancient section of Great

Britain in the summer of 1890, and

hopes to hear still further from him in

this direction.

In communication received with

the picture he says: "The enclosed is

a very rude sketch of the village church in Raubon, North Wales. This is the

church in which the family of Sir

Watkin Williams Wynn and his ances-

tors have worshipped for centuries. It

is quite an old church, probably seven

or eight centuries, but parts of it have

been rebuilt; a little chancel added,

and a small Skir Extension, and per-

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### Boston Theatres.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.  
"The Police Patrol can be seen the balance of the week. The "Cleopatra" will be presented at the Grand Opera House next week by Mr. R. D. MacLean and Miss Marie Prescott. "Spartacus" will be given the first part of the week, and "Cleopatra" the latter part. The last part of "Cleopatra" is a dramatization of H. Rider Haggard's famous novel. Miss Prescott plays the wife to Mr. MacLean's "Spartacus" and the title role in "Cleopatra."

### BOSTON THEATRE.

The old comedy season will close this week with the production of "London Assurance," "tonight and tomorrow afternoon." "Road to Rain" on Saturday evening. Next week "Beverly's" stars, with a strong cast, and new scenery by Mr. Ed. La Mass, Geo. Wilson, Robert Follett, and the like. Clara Molineux, Mrs. George, and Miss Ernestine, Miss Addison, and in fact all the popular members of the Museum company will appear in "Cleopatra."

### THE COLUMBIAN.

The second week of "The Lost Paradise" at the Columbia Theatre was ushered in last Monday evening, with a very fine audience. The advantage of the past week's work was noticeable in the production of the piece, which was considerably improved in any of the many remarkable scenic views which makes this drama so interesting. The factory scene, with the great wheel in motion, was loudly applauded.

### THE PARK.

"The County Fair" is a phenomenal success. The 139th performance of it will be given tomorrow night. Aunt Abby's "Farewell to the Stage" was well received, appeared on Monday evening, as she came on to the stage with little Tags, was greeted with rounds of applause. Excursions from all parts of New England are being made up for "County Fair" which will run the entire season. The managers say it will break all previous records of this popular house.

### THE GLOBE.

"Sibaldi" will run another week. It has met with great success the house having been taxed to its utmost capacity. The scenic effects are beautiful and the transformation scene is alone worth the price of the best seat in the house.

Many passages and catchy songs, fine dancing and pretty girls, with many other attractions which delight all who attend. The staging of the production is one of the triumphs of the day.

### THE HOLLYS.

"Inigo" a lively farce is delighting very large audiences here. It can be seen the balance of the week.

"Hoss" will be given the first part of the week, followed by "The Merchant of Venice" with those immensely popular ladies, Willie Collier and "Charlie" Reed, will be produced. The company embraces such favorites as Louise Allen, the original Kangaroo girl in "Dr. Bill," May Yoh, Mark Sullivan, and Misses Faunce and Fanning. This company is one of the finest and will fill the Hollies every night.

### THE BOSTON.

"Shiloh" will be presented Monday evening. The scenes of the battle and the march of the audience back to 61, the departure of the 13th Massachusetts for the front; dead old Faneuil Hall with the soldiers passing; Gordon Horricks the store dealer; Mrs. Elizabeth, the old salt; the doctor; the Southern planter; the darky specialist; Union camp in Tennessee; etc. Billie, Dr. Bill, May Yoh, Mark Sullivan, and Misses Faunce and Fanning. This company is one of the finest and will fill the Hollies every night.

### THE TREMONT.

Nat. Goodwin in "Sister" can be seen on one week more at this favorite theatre.

The audience has been very large and Mr. Goodwin must feel gratified at his reception here. The Bostonians will follow Mr. Goodwin's exit.

### THE BOWDOIN SQUARE.

Will open February 15. The 346 workmen are pushing it along rapidly. It will be delivered to the proprietors, Messrs. Harris & Atkinson, by Feb. 1. The attraction for the opening night will be announced later.

### A remedy for the Grippe Cough.

A remedy recommended for patients afflicted with the grippe is Kemp's Balsam, a specially adhesive ointment of the throat and lungs.

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FRIDAY, JAN. 22, 1892.

THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of Sparrow Horan, 193 Main Street; Charles R. Brown, 166 Main Street; John Cummings, 2d, Cummingsville; Samuel E. Wyman, W. A. Hanson, North Woburn, and at G. P. Brown's Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.  
All advertisements, to insure insertion  
in this paper, must be handed in as early as  
10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

### ELECTRIC CARS.

The Journal is the first newspaper that is able to announce positively at this early date on undoubted authority furnished solely to it and to no other, that on Wednesday afternoon last satisfactory arrangements were made between the Management of the East Middlesex Street Railroad Company and the North Woburn Street Railroad Company with the Woburn Electric Light Company by which the latter obligated themselves for a consideration then and there agreed on to be paid by the former two Companies, to furnish electric motive power sufficient to run the cars on the lines of those street car Companies, to wit: on the East Middlesex line from Woburn Centre to Melrose Highlands; and on the North Woburn from North Woburn to Medford, the power to be ready for delivery as soon as demanded by the street railway Management which it was understood by all three of the contracting parties would be as soon as early summer next.

The contracts, which were entirely satisfactory to all concerned, were virtually closed and the Electric Light Company of this city will at once prepare to meet the large addition to their works demanded by the new business.

Now let the Woburn City Government promptly grant the applications of the Street Railroad for permission to make such changes in their running arrangements as the adoption of the new motor may demand, which on the part of the East Middlesex Co. are already before the Council; let the people encourage this change and improvement by the Railroads all they can and in all legitimate ways; let all give countenance to the new move and try to help it along; and early next summer street cars on the two lines named will be propelled by electricity and both Woburn and the Companies will be immensely benefited thereby.

And does not this enterprise open up a field for the Board of Trade to do something for the benefit of our city of a practical nature? This should have their hearty individual and organized support, and no doubt it will have.

### THERE MUST BE HARMONY.

For several years there has been more less friction in the Woburn Fire Department. At no period in the last 10 years has entire harmony been universal in it or when cordial relations between officers and men had no exceptions.

There has been too much party work done in the Department and it partisanship is not eliminated from it its efficiency as a protector of property from destruction by fire will soon be reduced to a minus quantity.

In no Department of the city government are cordial feelings more essential, and if they cannot be brought about in any other way, then abolish the whole thing and begin over again. Property owners cannot afford and will not consent to have their interests jeopardized by war inside the Fire Department, and unless officers and members will agree to work together in unity and for the public good, then bounces them and have new men put in their places.

There are no one-sided quarrels, and the cause of the present friction in the Fire Department may as confidently be sought in one quarter as another. But what the citizens want is protection and for it they look to those who have the management of our public affairs. If these fail them then "try again."

### AS RESPECTS LIQUOR LICENCES.

Local reporters of the Boston daily papers are trying to fix the status of Mayor Thompson on the license question. They do not agree as to what their course will be, nor do any of them pretend to have authority for what they put forth in the public prints.

The JOURNAL can tell these wise men one thing and that is, the Mayor will do what he thinks is right in the premises. And it can tell them another thing: it does not follow that because a town or city has voted in favor of granting licenses to men to make drunks, peepers, criminals; to destroy families; kill men and women; blast characters; ruin houses; and corrupt society, it is therefore obligatory on the Excise Board to issue such licenses. These reporters seem to think otherwise, but they err.

Mayor Thompson is a clean man and he can be depended on to do clean work.

The Boston Traveller of last Wednesday evening contained an article two or three columns long concerning what Mayor Thompson will or will not be likely to do in regard to signing licenses to sell Rum next May. It was a sort of medley composed of alleged interviews with the Mayor, Rev. Hugh Montgomery, quotations from the Revised Statutes aent the subject, and comments by the writer. All these newspaper fellows pretend to entertain fears as to the perpendicularity, strength and rigidity of the Mayor's spinal column, but if they will wait patiently until about May 1, 1892, it is barely possible they may have their doubts on that point entirely removed.

The Annual Report for 1891 of Rufus R. Wade, Esq., Chief of the Massachusetts District Police, has been issued and for a copy of it the Chief will please accept our benedictions. The book contains 520 pages and is clear and full in every branch of the work within the scope of the Department. Chief Wade is the faithful and intelligent head of an important branch of our State Government and the annual reports of his work are thoroughly done and valuable.

That Chilian "war cloud" grows less formidable every day and at the present time it seems to be rapidly sinking below the horizon.

Following those blind guides the Boston dailies the JOURNAL said last week that our member Major Hall was put on the Committee of Federal Relations whereas our member Thomas D. Hevey, Esq., should have been the name given, for he was put on that important Committee instead of Major Hall.

### LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.  
Henry A. W.—Notice.  
F. J. Hart—Subscription.  
Friday N. Club—Concert.  
Mabel Thompson—Manicure.

#### Job Work.

Job printing is done as neatly, as promptly, and at low prices, as the JOURNAL does as at any establishment in Middlesex County. Entire satisfaction in quality of work and price is guaranteed.—

Letter-carrier Callahan is on deck once more.

Conductor Richard Carton is all right again.

No sleighing yet worth mentioning. How about ice?

They say shoe business is awful dull over in Stoneman.

Mr. Gilman F. Jones is getting well over his attack of grip.

Mrs. Jennings's Intelligence office was well patronized these days.

Dr. Rogers, the dentist had to stay about 4 weeks with grip.

There was a tremendous power-ful storm last Monday night.

Nichols, the watch maker, is enjoying great run of custom about these days.

Mr. Edward E. Lynch is just recovering from a very severe attack of the grip.

At the last monthly meeting of the Woburn Co-operative Bank \$1400 was sold.

Dr. Sanborn, wife and children have been under the weather, but all are now improving.

Mrs. B. A. Stearns of Pleasant street, is visiting relatives and friends at Providence, R. I.

Bear in mind that Mr. Amos Cummings's great markdown sale will begin on Thursday, Jan. 29.

The alarm from box 61 about 11:15 last evening was for a slight fire in a dwellinghouse on Hoyte St.

Thomas McCull was quite seriously hurt at Loring's tannery last Monday by a heavy shaft falling on him.

There was quite a general turnout of the firemen at the funeral of James E. McNulty, a member of the Department.

One of the oldest ladies in this city, Mrs. Charlotte Johnson, died on Chestnut street last Friday aged 85 years.

Snow on Tuesday afternoon.

The most exacting of people ought to be able to select weather suitable to their tastes.

The annual meeting of the First Congregational church of this city will be held next Wednesday evening by adjournment.

The officers of Mishawaka Lodge, A. O. U. W. were duly installed last week by Dist. Dep. Peabody and suite of Stoneham.

Mr. J. S. Munroe, our esteemed West Peabody patron, has moved to Bedford, where we hope he will be contented and happy.

Mr. P. G. Hanson got out early this week for the first time in some weeks. Grip. Mrs. Hanson also had a serious time of it.

Will the writer of "My Picture" please call at the JOURNAL office at her earliest convenience and oblige the author of this item?

Miss Evans will not leave Woburn as formerly intended, but after a short vacation will begin work again the first of February.

Atwood, just as the JOURNAL said, is on deck, and although he had tough time of it Atwood is coming out as sound as a nut.

Auctioneer Gregory has recently laid the JOURNAL under lasting obligations for loads of office paraphernalia, for which things are returned.

The annual meeting of the Woburn Home for Aged Women will be held in Savings Bank Block at 2:30 Tuesday p. m., Feb. 2. See ad.

Mr. Samuel Skelton, who attempted self-destruction by shooting two or three weeks ago, was taken to the Danvers Asylum for treatment a few days since.

Our esteemed friend, Mr. James E. Fowle, we are right glad to know, has recovered from a 4 weeks' siege of grip and is new at his post at G. R. Gage & Co's.

Miss Annie Reynolds graduated at the State Normal School at Salem last Tuesday. She has the name of being a very bright and thoroughly educated young lady.

Some folks might think this climate is not subject to changes. How is this? On Sunday morning it was 4 above zero; Tuesday morning, 48 above; Wednesday morning 9 above. Do, won't it?

Mr. W. W. Hart denied with much energy, not to say vehemence, that he had had the least touch of grip, and yet some people wondered why he kept up such a "barking." He's all right now, though.

According to the annual report of the Board of Health just completed, there were 286 deaths in this city in 1891 of which 14 were between 80 and 90 years of age; 107 were less than 5; and 2 were between 90 and 100.

Rum is getting in its daily work in good shape in this city. The result is quarrels, rows, fights, cuttings, and recruits for the House of Correction and Reformatories. The instances is rare when one cannot look into the street and see one or more men reeling by. Oh, Rum!

Mrs. Mabel Thompson of Sturgis street, daughter of Mr. David Ronca, has a professional card in this paper to which we call especial attention. The lady is an expert at her trade and as an operator has no superior in this part of the country. She is deserving and it is to be hoped the ladies will give her abundant employment.

Our late fellow citizen, Mr. I. E. Williams, has entered into business relations with Mr. J. Henry Gould, the firm name being J. Henry Gould & Co., 42 and 48 Congress street, Boston: business commercial real estate brokers. Mr. Williams is "sound corn," and we have no doubt Mr. Gould is ditto.

This is the phrasing of a "comp." courteously forwarded to the JOURNAL Management last week: "New England Grocers Bermuda Excursions Good for trip down Boston Harbor, on Steamship Halifax, on January 27, or February 1, 1892, (sailing at 10 a. m.)" And return to City by special chartered tugs. Benjamin Johnson, Manager." To which our answer is: Thanks!

On Feb. 10, at 7:30 p. m. the Nilssen Ladies Quartette of Boston, assisted by Ivan Morawski, the famous Polish Soloist, and Frank H. Pope, Reader, will give one of their popular concerts at Lyceum Hall in this city, which of course will be well patronized. All seats have been reserved at 35 cents each the same to be procured at Buss's drugstore. Further particulars in next week's JOURNAL.

The Herald says that the organization of a Business Men's Union in Woburn is proposed. According to the writer's idea of it the scheme is to be launched at an early day. This we can say to its promoters: there must be heaps of money back of it or it will fail. Talk is nice—at least nice talk is—but talk won't build up your city, gentlemen, or give the idle men in it employment, clothing and food.

The Second Annual Conference of the Junior Department of the Young Men's Christian Association of Massachusetts and Rhode Island will be held at Hyde Park, Mass., Jan. 29. Last year nearly two hundred delegates were present, and arrangements are being made to entertain a larger number this year. Men of experience will make addresses, and boys connected with the Departments will read papers.

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Undertakers: Lawrence Reader, B. A. Tripp, E. C. Tripp, Edw. E. Lynch, John McLaughlin.

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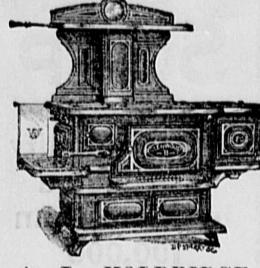
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BY REV. A. S. FISKE.

The following eloquent and touching tribute to the life and character of Rev. Arthur S. Fiske will be read with peculiar interest by those who were associated with him in school life in Woburn and also by many others who can well remember his beautiful face and pleasant manner. He was the stepson of the Rev. Mr. Kelso, pastor of the first Congregational church just prior to Dr. March's pastorate. His mother, highly respected and esteemed by all who knew her, will long be hearted by the sympathy of her friends here in the irreparable loss which she has suffered.

ITHACA, N. Y.

A very touching service was that of one of the most exquisite voices in Western Massachusetts last week, in the cemetery at Sheburne Falls. It was the burial of the young man of twenty-nine, whose name is at the head of this article. He was a graduate of Amherst College, of Hartford Theological Seminary, and a student of the dead and living languages of the Orient at the University of Berlin. He held the fellowship of the Hartford Seminary, which gave him two years of study, and he was a member of the Committee on "Didactic Exercises" (as was also Mr. R. H. Chamberlain, Boston Broker, of this city), one of the most important of the large number chosen to represent the Seminary in the opening and deduction of the new building.

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shutting in the house of Niueo his god, that his sons smote him with the sword." Back to his idols, utterly cast down by the grace of his God, and dead to the claims of his Creator, dead in sins, space for repentance not improved, he goes out suddenly to meet the God whose power he had felt but whom he knew not. What a momentous day! "I know God now, and am no longer ignorant of His ways." Two of them had to know Him. Eternal Death. The long suffering of God is one of the most wonderful things in the whole Bible; how slow He is to let His wrath fall! How in every possible way He pleads with us to turn from our sins, and to give us a taste of the torments of hell if perchance they may turn to God and escape eternal torment (Rev. ix, 20; xvi, 9, 11).

We love to contemplate the love and loyalty of our God; we must also remember that "If that man often approved hardness in his neck shall suddenly be destroyed, and that without remedy!"

**The Care of a Lamp.**  
To lessen the chance of accident from explosion of a lamp, trim the wick of the lamp daily. When burned for several evenings without trimming, the wick becomes black, clogged and incapable of supplying the oil clearly and uniformly, and the chimneys are sometimes filled with flame and smoke, to every one's alarm. Some explosions would be prevented by not blowing down the chimney to put the lamp out, for the wick sometimes happens to be a little too small, and leaves room enough to allow the flame to be driven down into the oil. The safest way to put out a lamp is to turn the thumbscrew until the wick turns down past the top of the burner. It will then go out of itself. Detroit Free Press.

**LOVE AND PHOSPHORUS.**

Any person desirous of inspecting the actual last will and testament of Shakespeare can do so by visiting Somerset house and paying a shilling. The visitor is conducted to a dimly lighted room in which this precious relic is preserved, and is not a little astonished to find it securely fired in a series of frames, protected by glass.—London Tit-Bits.

**Something Dropped in the Sun.**

The most interesting of recent photographs of the sun shows a remarkable solar disturbance, in which vapors ascended to a height of 80,000 miles. This eruption lasted fully fifteen minutes and was accompanied by fluctuations of the compass needle.—New York Recorder.

**Pursued by Antelope.**

I have rapidly entirely away from a band of antelope, and their cruelty would lead us to pursue them for hours across the plain and over the hills. One moonlight night, when the mirage was very strong and magnified a band of antelope until they appeared as large as a band of horses, I knew a party of United States cavalrymen to fire on them under the mistaken notion that they were sending a volley among a party of hostile Indian warriors.—Washington Farmer.

**Scientific Fallacies.**

Old Lady—These are scientific notes in th' papers nowadays just make me tired. Never heard such nonsense in my born days.

Old Lady—This paper says Jupiter is in opposition to the sun. The ideal Old Jupiter can't hold a candle to him.—New York Weekly.

**Consumption Cured.**

An old woman died from consumption, having lived in India for 15 years. An East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and Lung Affectives, also with medical advice.

Previous to this time she had been a patient, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering friends. Actuated by this desire to benefit his suffering friends, he will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail at addressing with stamp, name this paper. W. A. Novak, 820 Powers' Block, Rochester, N. Y.

**Yankee Ingenuity Active.**

It is a great day for marketing, shopping, trading and racing horses, and gossipping among all the suburban population of a large town or city.

In the morning the practice of men, women, children and babies, of holding up a foot or in various and vehicles of every description, bearing to stream along the "pike" toward the centre where the "Fuss Monday" festivities are to be held, and late in the day the same procession winds its way back again.

The people, though many of them are undoubtedly weary from the day's excitement, almost invariably look good natured and well satisfied with the success of their purchases, sales and exchanges of news.—Youth's Companion.

**The Dark Cloud had a Silver Lining.**

**READ THIS!**

**O SUFFERING WOMEN!**

**MRS. EVA L. FOWLER** resides at Hampden Centre, Me., and as the bright October sun shone upon her face, glowing with health, as she stood upon the piazza of her little cottage, it was hard to realize that only a few months ago she was lying low, languishing over the grave as fast as disease could do it. Listen to the story she told us:

"I am now twenty-one years old, and last winter I found myself failing rapidly. My side and back were so lame it hurt to move, and I could not sleep at night. Two of them had lost and had to give up of some ministered to Elijah in the wilderness; one led Peter out of prison, while another snatched Herod, one found Paul on the ship in the storm, and the Mediator came to comfort him. I was much moved to see Christ in the wilderness, and strengthened Him in Gethsemane, and legions were ready to do His bidding. Be comforted, oh, believer, by the fact that holy angels continually minister unto you (Heb. 14).

"Now, therefore, O Lord our God, save us from him, that all the king doms of the earth may know that Thou art the Lord, even Thy only." Deliver us, O Lord, from the curse of ignorance, and such prayer for such an idiot is sure of an answer (John xiv, 13). God redeemed Israel and led them by His hand to make His name known in the earth among all nations (Isa. viii, 23; Isa. xlii, 12). The greatest misery of every believer is to manifest Jesus in these mortal bodies (II Cor. iv, 11).

"Then Isaiah, the son of Amoz, sent us the King of Assyria. He doeth according to His will in the armament of heaven and among the inhabitant of earth, and maketh His power known. When He speaks, it is done. When He says, 'Hitherto shalt thou come, but no farther,' that settles it (Isa. xxxviii, 9; Job xxviii, 11).

"I did the very best that he came by, by the same side he returned, and shall not come into this city, saith the Lord." All his labor would be for nothing, and great would be his loss. How much time and strength and money is wasted in fighting against God.

"For I will defend this city to save it for mine own sake and for my servant David's sake." Not for His people's sake nor for the sake of the king or the prophet, but for his own sake. He had given his covenant to make David (II Sam. vii, 20, 24; Ezek. xxxvi, 22). See what He does for every believer for His own and His Son's sake (Isa. xliii, 29; John ii, 12), and let "For Jesus' sake" be a great motto in our lives.

"Then the angel of the Lord went forth and smote in the camp of the Assyrians 185,000." Angels are ministering spirits, but they are not omnipotent. Two of them had lost and had to give up of some ministered to Elijah in the wilderness; one led Peter out of prison, while another snatched Herod, one found Paul on the ship in the storm, and the Mediator came to comfort him. I was much moved to see Christ in the wilderness, and strengthened Him in Gethsemane, and legions were ready to do His bidding. Be comforted, oh, believer, by the fact that holy angels continually minister unto you (Heb. 14).

"The San Francisco Brewers' Union has assessed its members \$20 each to fight the British syndicate, whose managers have threatened to destroy the union. The latter have now over \$30,000 in its treasury.

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### SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

### GONE AT LAST.

To record the death of Hon. Charles F. Loring of Melrose Highlands, a painful duty. He died about noon on last Tuesday after protracted and very severe illness during which his life was often dispensed of.

At last November election Mr. Loring was chosen a member of the Governor's Council for this (6th) Councillor District and attended the polls at Melrose on that day. On reaching his residence he was taken down with a severe attack of rheumatism which resulted in embolism after some weeks of severe suffering. To save his life one of his legs was amputated and it was as much as ever that he survived the operation.

Heart troubles soon set in and for weeks the deceased has been hovering between life and death. But for his iron constitution and indomitable will he would probably have died long ere this time.

Mr. Loring was prominent Boston lawyer; a genial companion; a true friend; and a gentleman who commanded the respect of all. He was about 40 years old and leaves a wife, two children, and a large circle of friends to deeply mourn his early death.

### NO WAR WITH CHILI.

As the public are well aware, the JOURNAL has insisted from the start that no war would grow out of the present quarrel between the United States and Chili. We have been fully persuaded all along that the differences between them would be brought to a peaceful conclusion although nearly all the leading papers in the country were taking strongly the other way.

The public can see now that the JOURNAL was right. Chili has offered to withdraw the diplomatic note that has given so much offence to this country; to make a suitable apology for her wrong-doing; to take back her request for the recall of Minister Eagan from the Chilian court; and to submit the money question to any fair-minded referee.

That is Chili's offer. What more could our government ask of her than that? President Harrison and Secretary Blaine are satisfied with Chili's amende and the whole country rejoices that a war has been averted, if one between the United States and the little, hot-headed South American Republic was ever possible.

We told you so!

### CLEVELAND NOT IN IT.

Senator and ex-Governor Hill of New York, who is a rival of Grover Cleveland's for the Democratic nomination for the Presidency, has secured the New York delegation which will give him a first-class rating before the National convention and probably secure it in his nomination.

This signal success of Hill's in the Empire State has, it is said, driven Cleveland from the field in an unhappy frame of mind.

Hill's recent brilliant exploit in stealing the New York Senate has strengthened his chances for the Democratic Presidential nomination very much. Among the Democrats in Congress he is the hero of the hour.

### STATE COMMISSIONERS.

Everyone who has the best interests of the Old Bay State at heart will cordially endorse Governor Russell's antagonism to State Boards of Commissioners. He has the rights of it in this matter and it is to be hoped that his businesslike views will soon become the fixed policy of the Commonwealth in this respect.

Let us have fewer Commissions and better public work at less expense.

England is having an attack of the tantrums over the peaceful outcome of the troubles between the United States and Chili. The English newspapers are indulging in some very mean and abusive language towards this country and its patriotic President. John Bull don't believe himself. Uncle Sam will go over to London some day and give him a sound drubbing. He can do it and not half try.

### LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

F. H. Lewis—Opening.

C. C. Cameron—Corsets.

J. W. Johnson—Catering.

Stella M. Hayes—Elocution.

Mrs. M. H. Norton—Intelligence.

### Job Work.

Job printing is rapidly, as promptly, as at any office, at the JOURNAL office at any establishment in Middlesex County. Entire satisfaction in work and prices is guaranteed.—if.

Druggist Parker is on deck again bright and early.

Mr. Bernard McHugh has gone to Chicago to seek a business opening.

The boys are having fine skating on Horn Pond and other waters nearby.

Read what the Boston Branch has to say about canned goods this week.

Dr. Hutchings, Senior, is recovering from a severe attack of pneumonia.

Chief of Police McIntosh is recovering from a brief but quite serious illness.

Ald. Dearborn went to New York last week to see his father who was very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Plummer of Sherman Place have recovered from severe illness.

Coagrove who cut Kelley in the Central House barroom was held in \$500 for the grand jury.

Iceman Nichols has been all smiles during the last few days. The prospects for a crop are flattering.

Mr. E. G. Clough is bound to "Go West, Young Man," and grow up with the country.

The weather has moderated at a great rate. Still, Nichols is going to get that ice, and don't you forget it!

On the evening of Feb. 3 Shawnee Tribe will hold a grand Peace Dance and Powwow at Lyceum Hall.

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By reference to the card of Principal Lewis in this paper it will be seen that the midwinter term of the Lewis Music School will open on Feb. 4, next Thursday. It is understood that the class will be a large one. The School has had more pupils this fall and winter than ever before.

Another brave life-saver is John Madden who saved Willis Irving, 8, from a cold water gravy at the bottom of Cummings' pond, Tuesday. The little lad was gallantly rescued by Madden in a perishing condition. But Madden had to take to the cold, cold water for it. It was a brave act.

Insurance Agent Edward J. Gregory, who represents the Mutual Life of New York, banquetted with a whole raft of other agents of the Company at Young's last Tuesday. It was a great time. Insurance agents are known to be "heavy on the trencher," and Gregory is one of the best at it.

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We note with feelings of satisfaction liberally tinged with pride that Mr. Charles B. Osgood, who was born in Boston in 1863 and came to Woburn with his parents in 1866 and lived here some years before moving to Somerville where he has since made his home and grown up with the country—that this bright, smart young man has been elected President of the Board of Aldermen of the city of Somerville, a position which the Citizen of that place says he will honor. Thus does Woburn send out its young men to rise to eminence in other communities as well as to do missionary work among those who need it.

Under-takers B. A. and C. E. Tripp inform the JOURNAL that, with all the hue-and-cry about the grip's devastating work, the annual number of deaths recorded by them has been nearly the same for five or six years past. The difference in totals is so insignificant as to be remarkable. The books of Undertaker Lawrence Read tell the same story. These reports would be discredited if the records were not at hand to prove them correct. Most people have an idea that the grip made great havoc among our population in 1890, 1891 and 1892, but the official records of the Messrs. Tripp and Mr. Read tell an entirely different story.

It is said that at least 30 dwellings will be built early in the coming season on John L. Monroe's Addition to Woburn located near Montvale, on which several families have already made pleasant homes.

Our Esteemed Contemporary Colonel B. P. of the *City Press* "goes" for the business, political, social and official swimmers of Woburn with an exceedingly picked stick. Our E. C. aforesaid generally uses the juice of diet to load his editorial pen with instead of the mild and soothing milk of doses.

Next Sunday morning Rev. Hugh Montgomery will deliver a discourse at his church on "Methodist Itineracy" in compliance with requests often preferred. Mr. Montgomery will make it interesting by larding it with personal experiences, reminiscences, history etc., and doubtless a large congregation will be present to hear it.

Mr. John Maxwell and family are occupying one of his houses on Academy Hill while his residence at Winchester is undergoing repairs made necessary by a recent destructive fire.

Now and then a kind word reaches the JOURNAL office from its people from good Dr. Gage. Evidently he keeps up his interest in the best Family Newspaper and Fireside Visitor in Middlesex County.

Lieut. J. C. Larock, Co. G., 5th Regt., will come in for a long service medal on Feb. 15. So also A. W. Nason of Montvale. There are only six others in the Regiment entitled to the honor.

Miss M. H. Norton of 12 Jones Court, this city, has a card in the JOURNAL this week which tells its own story. She is a smart, energetic and intelligent young lady, and in every respect reliable.

It was reported that an attempt had been made to fire the Skating Rink. It was probably another case of optical illusion caused by too frequent potations from the jug that ruins so many people.

Dr. Sanborn and his family have recovered and are at their posts again. The Doctor and Mrs. S. were laid up with grip while the children had scarlet fever. They had a severe time, but are fully recovered.

The 3d Officers Party of the Past Officers' Association, W. H. S. B., will be given at Lyceum Hall, Feb. 26.

The music for the occasion will be furnished by J. Howard Richardson's Orchestra of Boston.

In the catalogue of Tufts College for 1891-1892 is found the name of George Mayo Gerrish, A. B., enrolled among the students of the Divinity School; and Stillman Shaw second year in the Engineering Department.

The friends of Mrs. John Fickett will be pleased to learn of her sudden death which occurred on Wednesday morning of last week of heart failure. Her excellent disposition and many good qualities endeared her to all.

There will be a grand Christian Endeavor rally at the First Congregational church at 7:30 this evening, at which an address will be made by Rev. Lawrence Phelps, who is President of the Massachusetts State Union.

Mr. Gilman F. Jones visited his office in the JOURNAL building last Tuesday for the first time in several days. He has been quite ill with the distemper but is now making good headway towards complete restoration to health.

We were glad to meet Mr. Estabrook on the street, the other day even though if he had to use crutches to get round with. He was confined to his home just three months with inflammatory rheumatism. He visits his story every day now.

Didn't the mercury in the thermometers tumble some though last Tuesday morning and forenoon? We should say so! Twenty degrees in about as many minutes was a most unusual fall, but that was about the size of it here.

We have received a communication from Ex-Mayor Johnson of this city supplementary to the one we published last week written by "Reader" concerning the cataloguing of the books in the Woburn Public Library. It will appear next week.

Master Brown says grip has been on the rampage of late at the Alms-house. Many ays prostrated with it.

Master Brown is recovering but is not yet strong. Last Monday morning the Master and Matron organized a "Laundry Brigade" into which quite a number of the inmates of the institution were conscripted and set to work doing the "week's wash." Some of them were disposed to rebel, but finely yielded to the necessities of the situation and went heartily to work over their tubs. The "wash" was got out in good season.

We should like very much to see that magnificient City Hall—or some building of that character—which a certain newspaper in this place says Mr. James Skinner is going to make.

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Our ball and concert last Tuesday evening was a fine one. It was high-toned too. The music was from Boston and of the best quality. The ice-cream, cake and fruit were prime. More anon.

Frank Collins, a citizen of Woburn, cut his throat at the residence of Charles Foster in Burlington yesterday morning. A companion of his, one Mr. Goodwin, brought the news to Police station this city. At law courts Collins was alive.

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— We call attention to the professional card of Miss Stella M. Haynes who everybody in Woburn and vicinity knows to be one of the most popular teachers of Elocution and Oratory in the State. She graduated from the New England Conservatory and is now Principal of the Worcester (Mass.) School of Elocution and Oratory. By the way, the Worcester *Evening Post* was not intended to be personal to anyone, nor was it, but it has come to a pretty pass when a public institution cannot be fairly and courteously criticized without those connected with it getting huffy about it.

— Imagination has a good deal to do with it. You remember the loafer who went into the store and got all a sweat standing around a stove with mica sides and doors that he imagined was a big coal fire going on inside while, in reality, it was only just a common sort of kerosene lamp that shed the impenetrable glow of heat. Well, it was like that last Wednesday morning. The mercury in the thermometer said that the temperature was above zero at 7 o'clock A. M. where as most people had an idea it was near 20 degrees below. It was the wind. We have had it from 4 to 6 degrees colder within a month.

— In the February number of *The Cottage Hearth* may be found an account of "The Shut-In Society" which would be a good thing for everybody to read. The members of the Society are persons who are permanently "shut-in" by reason of sickness, and "shut-out" from intercourse with their fellow beings from the same cause.

The Society was organized 13 years ago by Mrs. Conklin in New York State who was a chronic invalid, and it has proved an inestimable blessing to hundreds of sick and weary "shut-in" people in this country. There is one member at least of "The Shut-In Society" in this city, and if a person would learn self-control, patience, submission to the will of their Creator, we could point to no one so well able to teach such lessons as the afflicted lady to whom we refer. The February *Cottage Hearth* tells all about the Society.

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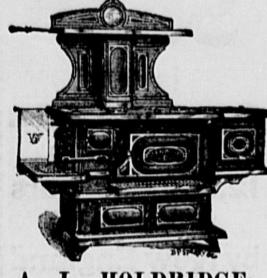
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#### City Government.

#### ALDERMEN.

A regular meeting of the Board was held on the evening of Jan. 21. Mayor Thompson presided.

Alderman Fowle moved that the Mayor be added to the Committee on Central Square Schoolhouse and New Armory, and the same was adopted. The Mayor appointed as Committee on Revision of Ordinances, Edward F. Johnson, George F. Bean and E. H. Lounsbury.—Bonds of Thomas Mulkeen as Constable, Edward Simonds as Constable, John C. Buck as City Treasurer, John G. Maguire as Collector of Taxes, were offered and approved.—

Communication from the Mayor—To appoint Edward T. O'Neill, Constable; B. C. Golden, Public Weigher; Messrs. E. P. Pollard and J. Chester Knights, Weighers of Coal. Confirmed.

Petitions—From John McLaughlin for license to clean vaults; John Lynch, for license for employment bureau. Referred to Committee on Licenses.

—A communication was received from the Chief Engineer of Fire Department recommending the appointment of Bernard Matthews and James Hackett as members of the Department.

By a vote of 5 to 1 the recommendation of the Chief Engineer was endorsed and the men confirmed.

Annual reports of City Auditor, City Solicitor, Assessors, Sealer of Weights and Measures, and Board of Water Commissioners, were received and ordered printed.

Alderman Fowle offered the following:

Be it ordered—that the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and requested to petition the legislature in the name of the city for the passage of an act to authorize the City Council of this city to appropriate to exceed the sum of seven thousand five hundred dollars (\$7,500), the same to be expended under the direction of the City Council, in the celebration of the 250th anniversary of the founding and incorporation of Woburn, and in publishing the proceedings connected with said celebration.

Alderman Brown moved that the order be passed and was seconded by Alderman Richardson. Adopted and sent down for concurrence. Adjourned.

Have you ever used the Sandy River Corn, price 12c. per can? Boston Branch Tea and Grocery House.

In Memoriam.

LACONIA, N. H.—EDITOR WOBURN JOURNAL—I recently noticed in our paper here the announcement of the death of a lady in Woburn who is highly esteemed and widely known by a large circle of friends. It is worthy of further notice:

Mrs. David W. Johnson passed away Jan. 16. She spent nearly all her life in doing good to others. She was a lady of ability and excellent judgment and of generous sympathies; a devoted wife, mother, and a sincere friend.

The writer recalls with pleasure her kindly counsel and pleasant hours passed in her company. She will not pass this way again, but her memory will be affectionately cherished by many friends. A husband, son, and daughter mourn their loss.

We miss the kind and willing hand, the home is dark without thee, we miss thee everywhere,

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#### A Very Sick Man.

James T. Furber, Esq., General Manager of the Boston & Maine Railroad, lies dangerously ill with pleuro-pneumonia at his home in South Lawrence. At last accounts the doctors, several of whom were in constant attendance on him, gave out but faint hopes of his recovery.

Manager Furber is one of the ablest railroad men in this country. His knowledge of railroad affairs, his sound judgment, and his remarkable success, are recognized in business circles everywhere, and these would count his death a public loss.

Mr. Furber is a courteous, kind-hearted gentleman who is highly esteemed by all who know him, and by none more than the officers and employees of the lines of railroad under his control. He has many sterling friends in this city by whom his death (should he not recover) will be felt as a deep personal bereavement.

Manager Furber passed away, after a stout fight for life, at 7:40 on Wednesday evening, aged nearly 60 years.

#### A Worthy Object.

Last Sunday morning the St. Charles Catholic Total Abstinence Society of this city were driven from their official quarters on Broad street by fire. They sustained quite a serious loss on piano and other property on which there was no insurance, and to replace which they have no money.

The Society consists of about 100 members—the flower of the young Catholic population of our city—and a worthier one does not exist. Their object is to promote the cause of temperance—to save themselves and all other young men whom it is possible to reach and influence to do right.

The Society are poor financially but earnest in their endeavors to do good. That they are doing an effectual work no one understands their methods and are at all acquainted with the results accomplished has the least doubt. Many young men in this city owe their salvation from the drunk curse to the beneficial influence and earnest labors of this organization.

After the fire the Society find themselves in financial straits. They need quarters, furniture, etc. and have no money. Although sore pressed the boys who have put their hands to the plow do not propose to look back but to press forward in the good work.

Now, there are rich men in this city who would doubtless be only too glad, if the facts were properly presented to them, to aid by their purse and encouraging words this very worthy and everyday deserving Society of young, clean, earnest young men who have enlisted for life in the war against King Alcohol.

Will not one man of means, and all who can afford to lend pecuniary aid to the good work, think this over and promptly come to the rescue of these young men? With a suitable hall and accessories, and a little fund to draw on for prosecuting their excellent and most praiseworthy work, and the countenances and hearty god-speed of temperance people, Catholic and Protestant, there would be no end to the good which the St. Charles C. T. A. S. might accomplish.

They are in every way deserving of moral support and pecuniary assistance.

The Ladies Auxiliary connected with the Society are proving a noble helpmeet (as woman always is to man) and are contributing generously to help sustain the Society and render it a still more powerful instrument for good; but there is a limit to their ability even, and if the Society survive their present misfortune and go so solidly on their feet again as to take up and successfully prosecute their work they must have help from the friends of the temperance cause outside.

Through the noble generosity of Hon. E. W. Hudson a flourishing association of young men at the south side of the Centre have a fine hall, furnished, electric lights and other modern improvements—a delightful home. Now, where is the generous-hearted gentleman, or lady, or a combination of either, or both, who will step forward quickly and give the St. Charles Catholic Total Abstinence Society a handsome pecuniary lift in this their time of urgent need?

**Presented With a Cane.**

The salesmen in the employ of Eugene W. Paige, the flour merchant, surprised that gentleman last night, at his residence, 529 Broadway. When the company were ushered into the parlor, one of their number presented Mrs. Paige with a gold-headed cane as a recognition of his care and thoughtfulness for their interests during the years they have been together. After receiving the host's thanks for the token of friendship, the guests were entertained by a supper prepared under the direction of the hostess. The affair throughout was highly enjoyable.—The Peterson (N. Y.) Morning Call.

Chancellor John H. Vincent Coming.

The annual Chautauqua Banquet and "Founders Day" are pleasant reminiscences with all loyal C. L. S. C.'s, and all graduates, readers and friends are invited to attend. This reunion will be held at the United States Hotel, Boston, February 23, at 6:30 p. m.

Rev. E. E. Hale, Mrs. Mary A. Livermore, and Bishop John H. Vincent, are to be among the guests.

Tickets \$1.25 and may be obtained from Miss M. E. Evans, 44 Washington street, Chelsea, and Mr. J. O. Lunt, Congregational Book Store.

Friends who would like to attend will please notify either of the above persons of their intention and pay for their ticket the evening of the banquet.

**A Church Meeting.**

The best church supper that has been set down to date was given at the First Congregational church on Saturday evening last provided for the members of the First Congregational church and their families.

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**WINCHESTER.**

Arthur Winn is making preparations for foreign missionary work.

Preparations are already underway for a good deal of building here as soon as spring opens.

**Needed Changes in our Grammar Schools!** will be discussed at the Town Hall on this, Friday, evening.

The grip has about disappeared from this town. Our doctors have handled it very skillfully and successfully this winter.

It is Mr. Theron A. Apolonio and Miss Hortense Keyes, eloh. May the wedding bells ring oh so sweetly and clearly and musically this time! Congratulations, Dear A.

Mrs. Harrison Bates, who underwent a severe surgical operation on Sept. 27, last, is now so nearly recovered from it that she is able to attend to her household duties, although not as strong as formerly. She is gaining though every day.

Hon. A. B. Coffin had quite a hard pull with the grip. He was compelled to remain indoors a week or more and a part of the time he was obliged to stick to his bed. Everyone is glad to know that our excellent and esteemed townsmen is able to be about and attend to his legal affairs again.

A popular opera is to be given at Town Hall on Feb. 11, under the management of Mrs. S. C. Bailey.

It will be a success, for Mrs. Bailey, one of the finest vocalists and best teachers in the State, can find in her vocabulary no such word as fail. The operetta will draw like a g-o-k team from all quarters.

When engaged in comparing post-office receipts with Winchester Woburn ought to be ashamed of herself. With

a population not quite one half of that of Woburn the annual postoffice re-

ceipts of this town are \$3,000 greater than those of our neighboring young city on the north. Yes, truly, Woburn ought to be ashamed of herself.

A meeting of the Trustees of the Winchester Savings Bank was held Wednesday evening, Jan. 20. The condition of the bank was as follows:

ASSETS.	
Mortgages,	\$211,775 00
Bonds,	120,995 42
Personal Notes,	67,700 00
Bank Stock,	36,006 25
Real Estate,	4,401 00
Taxes Paid,	513 04
Expenses Account,	51 24
Cash on Hand,	13,224 01
	<b>\$454,666 01</b>

LIABILITIES.	
Due Depositors,	\$181,643 79
Guarantee Fund,	11,016 59
Premium Fund,	4,603 25
Interest Account,	7,402 38
	<b>\$454,666 01</b>

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THE GLOBE.

Next week the great New York comic “Opera” will open at the Globe, and the Globe after a run of 150 nights at Palmer’s Theatre to the most remarkable audience ever enjoyed by an opera in New York. The company includes such favorites as Diggie, Bunting, Moore, Hause, Wilts, Latona, Joyce Bell, Anna Bell, Joseph Knapp, Fred Frost, Charles Wayne, Charles Meyers, and Chas. Jones. Julian Edwards is the musical director, and Napier Lothian, Jr., stage manager. The scenery and costumes are rich and elegant.

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A PALACE IN SHAMBURGH at Boston Museum is the most pronounced success of the present year.

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**Test of the Lesson, Isa. III, 1-12—Memory Verses, 3-5—Golden Text, Isa. III, 6—Commentary by the Rev. D. M. Stevens.**

"Who hath believed our report? And whom is the arm of the Lord revealed?" Some one has said that this section, chapter III, 13 to III, 12, reads as if written beneath the cross on Golgotha. It is the unraveling of Psalms xxii and xx; and is the most certain descent into the portal of death and impurity. From the first intimation of a Deliverer (Gen. 16, 15) onward, He is repeatedly foreshadowed as a suffering Saviour (Luke xxiv, 30); but here we have the most complete description of His sufferings in the whole Old Testament.

"He hath no form nor comeliness; and when shalt thou desire him? There is no beauty that we would desire. He is abominable in the wilderness, there was no outward beauty to the surrounding nations, but Israel could tell of the holy place, and of the holy of holies, with vessels of pure and holy gold. Yet God, through the prophet, "To the unclean is still unattractive, while they eagerly follow the attractiveness of the world, the flesh and the devil."

"He is despised and rejected of men, a man of sorrows, and acquainted with grief." He was so unlike other men. He never considered himself; but not His own will; sought not His own glory; never sought to be made much of, but was always honoring His Father. Self sacrifice consumed him as a fever; a man of compassion, full of love, who, when he died, was like a lamb before his shearer, and in a sleep before his shearer is death, so He opened not His mouth." Shorn of comfort, honor, good name, life, a lamb led out to die, see how He was oppressed and afflicted, and still let your heart say, "All for me?" When He suffered He threatened not, thus leaving us an example.

"He was taken from prison and from judgment, and who shall declare His generation?" Taken away by distress and judgment, and the world reading which agrees with the Bible.

"But He was wounded for our transgressions, He was bruised for our iniquities, and with His stripes we are healed." Could there be any stronger expressions to denote a violent and painful death? The precise manner of His death is described in Ps. xxxviii, "They pierced Me through and through," instead of "out" in the first three clauses, and read "I am" instead of "we are" in the fourth clause, and with all your heart think that it is true.

"All we, like sheep, have gone astray; we have turned every one to his own way; and the Lord hath laid on Him the iniquity of us all." Many readily believe the first two clauses, but how few receive the last.

"He was girded with a girdle of slaughter, and in a sleep before his shearer is death, so He opened not His mouth." Shorn of comfort, honor, good name, life, a lamb led out to die, see how He was oppressed and afflicted, and still let your heart say, "All for me?" When He suffered He threatened not, thus leaving us an example.

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"And He made His grave with the wicked, and with the rich in His death, because He had done no violence, neither was any deceit in His mouth." Not only do we read of His cruel treatment, sufferings, and death, but also of the events of His birth, and how literally all was fulfilled we know. The kindness and devotion of Joseph of Arimathea rescues His body from the authorities and manufacturers, and gives it a burial in His own new tomb (John xix, 38-42).

"It pleased the Lord to bruise Him. He shall prolong His days, and the pleasure of the Lord shall prosper in His hands. He shall come up like a root of Diseases, and have employed the most skilful physicians in the state, having been treated by local physicians at home and by physicians in Portland, Me. All my physicians told me my disease was so severe that I could not live, get well, and die." And certainly all my medical treatment gave me no relief. I had no appetite, bowel's in a bad state, female trouble, combined with liver and kidney trouble, and my physician said, "I have seen no one with such a case, but also the events of His birth, and how literally all was fulfilled we know. The kindness and devotion of Joseph of Arimathea rescues His body from the authorities and manufacturers, and gives it a burial in His own new tomb (John xix, 38-42).

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"The Eyes of the Musk Ox.

The skull of the bull musk ox is remarkable for the development of the eye orbits, which project sufficiently beyond the plane of the frontal bones to compensate for the interruption of the horns which otherwise make in the range of vision. The musk ox, however, does not seem to rely greatly on keenness of sight, far less on acuteness of hearing, for the ears are of small dimensions and are completely covered by the heavy growth of fur about them. The organs of scent are evidently more highly developed, and they exact of the hunter his greatest cunning—H. T. Martin in Popular Science Monthly.

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**SPECIAL NOTICE.**  
All advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

### A DUTY.

Something like this ought to be done:

The Law and Order League, the W. C. T. U., the Y. M. C. A., and especially the church of Woburn, ought to inaugurate a series of union meetings for the promotion of prohibition principles, with a particular view to bringing to bear a powerful influence against licensing the sale of alcohol spirits in Woburn this year.

In Natick, Clinton, and other live, wideawake cities and towns in this Commonwealth the temperance people have opened the campaign against License and are making a vigorous fight in favor of law, order and sobriety.

Let the temperance people of Woburn wake up to the importance of this question; begin work at once; hold mass meetings; educate the people and especially the City Council up to the right place; and when the time comes, about May 1, have all ready for presentation monster remonstrances against granting licenses this year.

If the temperance societies, churches and prohibition people would heartily unite and vigorously work for such a purpose remitting could be put an end to here in a very short time.

### COUNCILLOR LORING'S SUCCESSION.

If it would not be thought impertinent on our part, and if the appointment has not yet been made, we would respectfully suggest to the Legislature that Montressor T. Allen, Esq., of Woburn would be a good person to put into the seat in the Council made vacant by the death of the lamented Loring of this District. The JOURNAL has no particular objections to Hon. Mr. Jefferson, but it looks on Mr. Allen as the most suitable man of the two for the honorable post and therefore advocates his appointment.

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### BARRETT FOR GOVERNOR.

Hon. William P. Barrett, present Speaker of the Massachusetts House, can have the Republican nomination for Governor next fall by simply saying so, and his election would be sure to follow in November.

His nomination for the United States Senate to succeed Dawes by the Boston *Advertiser* is heartily endorsed in many quarters, but the wisdom of it as a party measure is open to criticism. The winning plan would be to give Henry Cabot Lodge Dawes' place in the Senate; have Barrett occupy the gubernatorial chair for a couple or three years; and then choose him to fill the seat now occupied by the venerable U. S. Senator Hoar.

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### THE LEGISLATURE.

The august body of lawmakers whose place of business is on Beacon Hill in Boston are making good headway and have got further along on the docket than is usually the case at the end of a month's session.

On account of alleged procrastination some of the Boston papers began more than a week ago to call the Legislature "Cold Molasses," as the name was not deserved, "as the records easily prove, therefore those papers ought to recant."

In both branches committee work of an important character is coming in, showing that the committees are earning their pay and that both House and Senate are industrious.

### LOCAL NEWS.

#### New Advertisements.

City-Highway Dept.; C. H. Lincoln—Notes; Nellie E. Platts—Piano; Mrs. E. C. Jackson—Citation; Martha Johnson—Citation; G. P. Howell & Co.—Cady; Peter C. Jackson—Citation; Nilsson Quartette—Concert; B. A. Tripp—Cough Syrup; T. C. Evans—Rugger Six Quartet.

#### Job Work.

Job printing is done as neatly, as promptly, and at low prices, at the JOURNAL office as at any establishment in Middlesex County. Entire satisfaction in quality of work and prices is guaranteed.

— Joseph P. McCoy has left Hose 6 at Central Square. He's got all he wants of a fireman's life.

— The Hudson Associates have fixed on Feb. 26 for their annual assembly. It will be a good one.

— The store of Shinkwin & Reddy was burglarized last Friday night and about \$40 captured by the thieves.

— Note carefully the card of the Ruggles Street Quartet in this paper. No musical combine in Boston equals it.

— Bids for printing city reports, etc., closed last Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock. The work must be done by March 4, prox.

— Dr. John K. Murdock has bought the Dr. Harmon residence on Montvale Ave. and the Doctor will move into Boston.

— Conductor E. E. Taylor says the influenza is about played out among the railroad employees. He had it pretty hard himself.

— The Authors' New England Supper will be a grand affair, and everyone should arrange to go. Look out for announcement next week.

— There was a considerable fall of heavy wet snow last Wednesday but we were unable to learn of any good it did so far as sleighing was concerned.

— Clerk B. E. Bond of the District Court is ill with the prevailing distemper. Editor Wetherell of the *News* is filling the position very acceptably to Court and people during Mr. Bond's enforced absence from his post of duty.

— Copeland & Bowser have on their counters a very choice line of fast black surah ad heiretias: just the thing for summer dresses. Give them a call.

— Everybody and his best girl will be after attending the grand Assembly to be given by the North Woburn Associates at Vidette Hall on Friday evening, Feb. 19.

— The Leonard Thompson hardware establishment, of which Mr. Waldo Thompson is Manager, puts up and sells the best carriage and furniture vanishing in the country.

— If there is anything that will make a hungry man's mouth water it is those home-made sausages which Durward so temptingly displays in the window of his popular market.

— Street Superintendent Jones has struck and put out another of his practical ideas as will be seen by his notice in the JOURNAL. It is a good thing and will meet with cordial public approval.

— The *Globe* says there is much commotion among the Committee on Public Buildings on account of extra cost of the Highland and Central Square school-houses. Mostly an error, the statement is.

— Mr. Walter Dodge is carrying on the jewelry business left by his father at the same stand and doing it very successfully. His mother is executrix of the estate and the son Walter is attending to the trade for her.

— Particular attention is called to important announcement which Mr. Amos Cummins makes in this issue of the JOURNAL. His great "slougher" sale is on deck, and our advice to the people of this city and vicinity is—PARTON IT.

— Chief McIntosh returned to Police Headquarters last Saturday having recovered from a severe attack of grippe. Mr. McIntosh, his mother, was taken down with the same complaint three days before the Chief's reappearance at his post of duty.

— A rich musical treat is in store for those who attend the concert to be given in the vestry of the Unitarian Church this Friday, evening. The best artists in Boston are set down on the programme for solos, duets, quartets, and soforth. Concert at 8.15.

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— Mr. Allen is a good lawyer and fair-minded man, and if his appointment should follow this recommendation he would be found a valuable acquisition to the Governor's Council.

— The Fair Committees of the Y. M. C. A. are hereby notified to assemble in Y. M. C. A. Hall on tomorrow, Saturday, evening, at 7.30 o'clock, to perfect arrangements for the great Fair to be held on the 22nd and 23rd instant. A full and prompt attendance is requested.

— Townsman Sparrow Horton comes pretty near being right on the flat of his foot again. He has had the longest and toughest hand-to-hand bout with the grip and kindred ailments of any of them, but he is coming off victorious with banners nailed to the outer wall.

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— The corporation election of officers of the Woburn Home for Aged Women was held last Tuesday and resulted as follows: President, Miss Susan E. Edgett; Vice-Presidents, Mrs. Abigail M. Winn, Mrs. Mary Shaw; Secretary, Mrs. Hubbard Copeland; Treasurer, Mrs. Lucy E. B. Converse; Collector, Mrs. Sarah J. Simonds; Auditors, Mrs. Harriet H. Chamberlain, Mr. Charlie A. Jones.

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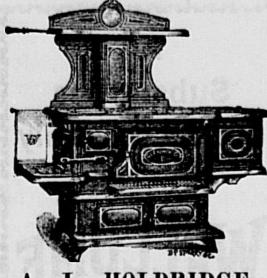
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The Gypsy Moth.

The bulletin hanging on a wall in the postoffice does not give the date on which the Gypsy Moth struck Woburn, but its advent must have been recent for the show-case containing the "Awful Examples," to wit: adult Moths, juvinile ditto, Moths in embryo, ditto, chrysalis, etc., etc., has not been on exhibition at the same place only a week or such a matter and it preceded the announcement of the arrival of the Arch Enemy, or perhaps their entrance into this community was simultaneous.

Ostensibly this exhibition of the "critter" in its various stages of development was made for the purpose of educating unlearned people as to its habits, characteristics, habitat, and danger from its presence, but, really, we suppose, to work up a sentiment of hostility against him and an equally strong one in favor of the State Gypsy Moth Commission and the State Board of Agriculture, which it is announced, will herselfs work together for his annihilation. Something of this sort seems to be necessary in order to secure a cordial public approval of the Gypsy Moth.

We might have remained in ignorance of the advent of the Moth into Woburn some time longer but for a visit from a very spruce looking young gentleman on last Tuesday who said he represented the Massachusetts Gypsy Moth Commission and had come into our midst to shed light on the subject. Learning from everyone he asked that the Journal was the leading newspaper in Woburn he politely begged the use of its columns through which to shed said light. At the close of a very pleasant interview of 30 minutes or so this young gentleman, who was evidently *au fait* on the subject and had dead loads of G. M. literature and science at his tongue's end, regretfully bid our office "goodbye for the present."

In an hour or two came another smart young man whose errand was similar to that of Y. M., No. 1., (each held in his hand a formidable looking wad of MS, which he politely assured the venerable Editor was all about the great public Terror, the G. M.), who said he came straight from the State Board of Agriculture, and his mission here was to enlighten the benighted on all-absorbing question of the day—Gypsy Moth.

They were bright young (gypsy) Moth annihilators, we must confess—clean looking, well mannered, not too tonguey, and probably sincere in their belief in the destructive powers of the G. M., and earnest in their endeavors to down him.

But somehow neither of these nice young gentlemen seemed to be quite satisfied with his visit to the JOURNAL—sauviont; nevertheless, they expressed for us their profound regard and assured us they would call again. We trust they will.

**FOOT NOTE:** To be perfectly truthful and exact in the matter this footnote is added: The cost of the postoffice contains 7 or 8 boxes of G. M. dried leaves and post mortem stages. Each box a common domestic pin stuck through it, and labelled as follows (the classic name of Gypsy Moth being Oenaria desparat!): eggs, pupa, caterpillars, Male Moth, Female Moth.

Have you ever used the Sandy River Corn, price 12c. per can? Boston Branch Tea and Grocery House.

North Woburn.

The North Woburn Associates will give a grand assembly at Vidette Hall on Friday evening, Feb. 19, for which Collins' Orchestra have been engaged to furnish the music, which is an assurance that it will be of the best quality. John J. Queenan will be the Floor Manager, and T. J. Holland, Assistant; while 12 Aids will be on hand to see that everything passes off in the greatest shape.

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Literary Notices.

A copy of THE GARDEN AND FOREST, published in New York at \$4.00 per year, of which Professor C. S. Sargent of Harvard College is conductor, will be sent free to any person asking for the same. Address Garden and Forest Publishing Co., Tribune Building, New York City.

Probably as correct an estimate of literary and scientific wealth of the POPULAR SCIENCE MONTHLY's table of contents this month may be obtained by a mention of a few of its leading papers as in any other way. It is proper to state in passing that the number of its issues is of unusual interest. Some of its articles are: Personal Liberty by Edward Atkinson, The Story of a Strange Land, Urban Population, Stilts and Stilt-walking (ills.), Musical Instruments (ills.), Is Man the Only Reasoner? Homely Gymnastics, An Experiment in Education, The Universe of Stars, etc. Besides these the Editor's Table is laden with palatable literary edibles which the intelligent reader will greatly enjoy.

D. Appleton &amp; Co., N. Y.

The numbers of LITTLELL'S LIVING AGE for January 23rd and 30th contain French Politics by Gabriel Modet, and Memoirs of General Marbot, Excursion to Paris; Autumn, 1851, by Thomas Carlyle, Children and Modern Literature, Auradrapas: a Pre-Christian City, by Gordon Cummings; In the Country of the Albigenzes, and Incidents in the Life of a Naturalist, William Cobbett, and In Praise of Mops, More Indian Birds, and The Coming of Summer, That Foreign Office Bag, and Brick Tea, with "Purin-Jean," "Pris" and poetry. For fifty-two numbers of sixty-four large pages each (or more than 3,300 pages a year) the subscription price (\$8) is low. Littell &amp; Co., Boston, are the publishers.

The most timely article in the February CENTURY is the one written by Mr. C. C. Buel, assistant editor of the magazine, which records the results of a personal investigation by him, in behalf of the reader of the Century, into this now notorious institution.

The title of the paper is The Degradation of a State; or, The Charitable Curse of the Louisiana Lottery. Mr. Buel goes back to the time when the lottery interests of the country were centered in New York City, and shows that the Louisiana Lottery was established for the benefit of New York gamblers and lottery dealers. The article describes the people who have been the chief beneficiaries of this extensive gambling institution, and exposes the methods of political corruption by which the franchise was obtained, is maintained, and, as now feared, is to be extended. Some of the remaining papers are: New National Guard, illustrated; Characteristics (continued), Richard Henry Dana, Titian, illustrated; De Hart or Buzzard's Nes, illustrated; Killing of the Moose, illustrated; Naulahka, and several others of great interest. All of the Departments are well filled with lively, fresh matter.

As one looks over the pages of the February SR. NICHOLAS the eye is attracted by bright thoughts in text or drawing. At the very front door comes J. H. Dolph's dog and cat picture, showing a plump puppy evidently fed to repletion graciously content to the disposal of his dinner to the kittens. Then there is the picture of Sir Jeffrey Hudson, the dwarf of eighteen inches stature, who figures so prominently in the history of the times of Henrietta Maria of England. How he was vanquished by a turkey-cook, and how in turn he overcame an opponent in a serious duel; how he was leased by the King's giant, and how he was captured by pirates—is told in the text of the first of these articles on Historic Dwarfs so carefully prepared by Mary Shears Roberts. Turning over more pages, we see a diagram that seems more fitted to the collar of a grave treatise than to those of a child's magazine. But we discover it is A Record of Master Harry's Ups and Downs, his variations in cheerfulness during an absence of his mother from home; and then we wonder why a set of similar charts would not serve as

record of deportment, scholarship, or what not, to spur to diligence or reprove from sloth a family of children. It is another idea for which we have to thank the good ST. NICHOLAS. Our minds are diverted from these thoughts by Mr. Taber's spirited drawing showing The Battle on Skates. These constitute only a small part of the good things which the February ST. NICHOLAS contains as the young reader will learn on perusing it for himself. At least 20 of the articles are finely illustrated. Published by The Century Company, N. Y.

Boston Theatres.

THE GLOBE.

"Tar and Tarant" opened Monday night to a large and apparently well-filled house. The curtain went up on entering the theatre and kept it up until he left without expressing the feelings of all present. Mr. Digby Bell played the part of Tar. Marion Mandel as a young aspirant for society smiled with exceeding grace. While Louis Joyce Bell impersonated the latter with perfect Herbert Wilkins sang the role of the lover, and the other members of the cast were all very fine. "Tar and Tarant" will be the attraction next week.

THE COLUMBIA.

"The Lost Paradise," a play of sterling qualities, still continues to draw large houses at the Columbia. In the hands of Mr. French's company it is one of the leading attractions of the season. The scenes are superb. The 150th performance was celebrated on Tuesday evening by presenting the ladies with a beautiful souvenir as a remembrance of the event. Messrs. Harris and Atkinson, the proprietors and managers, are untiring in their efforts to please their patrons.

THEATRE.

Julis Mathew began a brief engagement at the Holis Street Monday night and was welcomed by a large and fashionable audience. The repertoire for her second week will be, Monday and Tuesday evenings, "Romeo and Juliet"; Wednesday and Saturday evenings, "Juliet"; Thursday evening, and Saturday matinee, "Vivian of the Night"; Friday evening, "Romeo and Juliet" and "Vagabonds" and "Pygmalion and Galatea."

BOSTON MUSEUM.

"The Shaughraun" grows in popularity with each performance and the run will hardly be long enough to satisfy the patrons. Geo. Wilson as Conn is doing some fine work and every member of the Company is in full flower. Misses Ryan and Miss Hobson are delighting large audiences by their high class work in their respective parts. Much has been said in favor of "The Shaughraun" but the half has not been told.

THE PARK.

"The County Fair" by Neil Burgess at the helm can still be found at the Park and from present appearances there will be a good run. The play is a comedy and the 24th will be passed on Saturday evening and the run has delighted thousands upon thousands of people old and young. "The County Fair" is now a household name throughout New England. All should embrace the opportunity to witness it for it will please immensely.

THE BOSTONIAN.

On Monday next The Randolph Arsonous Company will come to the Boston for one week only "Uncle Celestine," described as a merry work in three acts, with bright catchy music by Andran, composer of "The Macao," "Olivette" and other popular songs. "Uncle Celestine" is laid in the suburbs of Paris and the story hinges upon a legacy which is hampered by some eccentric conditions. Miss Annie Meyers, prima donna soprano, will be in the list of stars. Miss Sylvia St. John, prima soprano, and Sophie Wright, soprano, made her a favorite; and the list of men include Jefferson de Angelis, A. W. Maflin and others who are equally popular. Louis Fuller will introduce her "serpentine dance" in the last act.

THE BOWDOIN SQUARE.

On Monday, February 15, the Bowdoin Square will be the scene of a grand ball to the public with the presentation of Missie Henry in her lively play "A Night at the Circus." The sale of seats for the opening night will begin tomorrow at 11 o'clock at the box office.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.

Robert Downing and Eugenia Blair are now in the grand success of "The Mikado" which will be given at the Grand Opera House, to the great satisfaction of the audience.

WINCHESTER.

The Star has gone to boomerang the Middlesex Fells again!

The famous Operetta is to come off at the Town Hall on Feb. 11. Don't forget it.

There is talk of organizing a Co-operative Bank in this town. It would prove better for the people.

Miss Ethel Small, daughter of our esteemed fellow townsmen, Mr. S. C. Small, has been visiting friends at Brockton.

Some of our folks are very much worried over what the gypsy moth may do next summer. And that too in the face and eyes of the fact that Massachusetts has got the ablest Gypsy Moth Commission in North America!

I am expecting a great deal of building on Longview Avenue this coming season. That is the S. C. Small & Co. Syndicate property. Mr. Small is erecting a fine house on it and many others contemplate following suit. It is a nice piece of residence real estate.

The resignation of Mrs. L. J. Pierce from the Board of Overseers of the Poor caused quite a sensation. As usual Henry F. Johnson had a finger in the pie. It is queer to think how much disturbance a single individual can make in a community when he or she sets himself or herself earnestly to work in that direction. Some folks have curiously constructed minds.

There is considerable indignation down here among Democrats about several of their supposed leaders allowing themselves to be tools for the Republican Town Committee. Their brilliancy is questioned. To use the words of one influential Democrat, "They didn't catch me or 200 others in their dirty trap."

Looks like the leaders of both parties need reconstruction.

Mr. F. H. Nourse, the well-known real estate dealer and insurance agent, says the prospect for a large increase in building and population in this town next season is very flattering. Many first-class residences will doubtless be erected by new comers and real estate men.—Star.

No doubt of it. I calculate that Winchester will grow faster in 1892 than it ever did in its life. It is already a very popular suburban residence place.

Mr. Thomas W. Lawson was injured last Tuesday morning in a runaway. With his groom he was driving near the Common when a wheel of the buggy struck the curbstone. It was upset, and dragged by the horse on to the Common. Mr. Lawson walked with assistance to a drugstore near by, where he was attended by Dr. March, and subsequently removed to his residence. The groom was unhurt.

The following are the recently installed officers of Wedgewood Colony: Gov., A. J. Edwards; Lieut. Gov., Joseph Mitten; Ex-Governor, J. W. Sweeney; Secretary, Minnie A. Cutting; Collector, J. F. Kelley; Treas., William H. Thorne; Chaplin, H. E. Cutting; Sgt.-at-Arms, William Laverty; Deputy-At-Arms, John Lynch; Sentinel of Inner Gate, Catherine Sweeney; Sentinel of Outer Gate, John Moynihan.

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LESSON VI, FIRST QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, FEB. 7.

**Text of the Lesson, Iss. IV, 1-13—Memory Verses, 3-5—Golden Text, Iss. IV, 6—Commentary by the Rev. D. M. Stearns.**

"Ho, every one that thirsteth, come ye to the waters, yea, come, buy and milk without money and without price." In verses 13 and 14 of the last chapter we have a summary of the blessedness that shall come to Israel as a nation because of the sufferings of her Messiah. Then shall waters of blessing flow forth from them for all nations (Ezek. xlii, 1-12; Zech. xiv, 8), and this is the ultimate reach of this chapter and its primary application. Many, however, will see here only a present and personal salvation for individual believers.

"Behenken diligently unto me, and eat ye that which is good, and let your soul delight itself in fatness." All our own efforts to obtain righteousness and soul satisfaction are like spending thin strength and money for naught. But when we turn to Him who is the fountain of life and receive Him, then we have righteousness.

"Incline your ear and come unto me, for I am come to you in peace; all my prophecies were ever pleading with Israel. See the application to us in John v, 24. But the everlasting covenant and sure mercies of David are specially Jewish (Ezek. xxxvii, 24; xxix, 31, Luke i, 33). In the days of the prophet Jeremiah, there were many new believers (Jer.) that shall be manifested with Him in glory as His body, joint rulers with Him (Col. iii, 4, Rev. iii, 21).

"Behold, I have given Him for a witness, to prove before a leader and commander to the people." Who can be but the true David (Beloved), David's greater son (Ezek. xxxvii, 24; xxix, 31, 24, 25), the faithful and true witness (Rev. i, 5), the King of Israel (John i, 49; xviii, 37). He is also the captain of the host of heaven, the captain of the Host of the Lord, God himself our captain (Heb. ii, 10; Job, v, 14; II Chron. xii, 12). May our hearts say "My Lord and my God."

"Behold, there shall call a nation that know not the Lord shall run unto these because of the Lord thy God." A nation and nations drawn to God through Israel. What can the first be but that nation referred to by Jesus and Peter (Mark xvi, 15, 16, 17, 19, even though they were being gathered out of all nations). And the nations must be the "all nations" of millennial days who shall flow to Israel after the glory of God is stored to her (Isa. ix, 1-3; Isa. 1, 2; Jer. iii, 17).

"And seek ye the Lord while he may be found, call ye upon him while he is near." The prophet now turns from the future glory to the present, in which he lived, urging an immediate turning to God with the whole heart that so they might, in divine favor of least, make sure of the glory of the kingdom.

"Let not the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts, and let him return unto the Lord." The encourageme

nt to do so was the mercy and abundant grace given to any who would return. It is to day.

"For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways, saith the Lord." How worse than foolish, to, forsooth, our own ways, and in our thoughts, to think that we shall be filled with God's thoughts as given to us in His word, and our thoughts shall be crowded out (Jer. xxix, 11; Ps. xlii, 11; Mic. iv, 12; II Cor. x, 5). See the folly of our thoughts in the case of Abram, and of Naaman (Gen. xi, 11; II Kings v, 11, 12).

"As for the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways, and my thoughts than your thoughts." The Lord knoweth the thoughts and motives of every man, for the thoughts of this world is foolishness with God (Ecclesiastes, viii, 19, 20).

But the thoughts of the Lord they shall come to pass, and His purposes shall stand (Isa. xiv, 24). The thoughts of the church of God, the elect, may be foolishness, for the thoughts of this world is foolishness with God (Ecclesiastes, viii, 19, 20).

One year ago last May I was taken **YOKING**, and every day I grew weaker and weaker, and the vomiting spells increased in frequency and duration, until I could not eat for two months. I suffered terribly with extreme constipation. We employed **HYDROSTATIC PHYSIOTHERAPY**, but the **gave me no relief**. One very prominent Physician told me his husband Nov. 1st, that **I could not live the next week** if I did not get well. I told him that I told the truth.

One night, the first of January, when I had an uncontrollable spell of vomiting having VOMITED from 7:30 to 9:30 without ceasing, and my friends expecting it was **my last night on earth**, I lay down in bed, and my stomach continued to vomit. My appetite increased

**CONSTITUTIONALLY**, but the **gave me no relief**. I gained weight, and every day I grew stronger and stronger, and my friends thought that which I pleased." His word is as the truth (Deut. xxviii, 15). It will always accomplish his pleasure.

12 "For ye shall go out with joy and be led forth with peace, and all the trees of the field shall clap their hands." The preacher who goes forth is to expect the hatred and opposition of the world (Job, xliii, 10-12). The idea of the destruction of the seed sown will bear fruit (Luke, viii, 11-15); and that hypocrites and true believers will go on side by side until the harvest; many followers of the devil will be found to be the most obnoxious and pretentious, will prey on everything but the Gospel (Matt. xii, 39-33). But in the time of Israel's great mission things shall be very different for God's spirit shall be poured out upon all flesh (Joel ii, 28, 32).

13 "And it shall be to the Lord for a

name, for an everlasting sign that shall not come to nought to the world, and shall be established in her own land, no more to be plucked up, nor thrown down. The curse shall be removed from the earth and God everywhere glorified (Jer. xxxi, 40; Am. ix, 15; Ezek. xxxvii, 24; xxix, 31, 24, 25). These prophecies were to be visible signs of the curse upon the earth (Gen. iii, 17, 18). When our Saviour wore the crown of thorns He suffered for the whole creation which was made subject to vanity, not willingly, but by reason of the curse. He did not subjugate the same in hope, and the fact that He wore the crown of thorns is the pledge and assurance that the creation itself shall be delivered from the bondage of corruption into the glorious liberty of the children of God.

While waiting for those glorious resurrection days we who have the first fruits of the Spirit, and are supposed to rejoice in hope of the glory of God (Rom. v, 2; VIII, 23) would be worthy of a name to the Lord if we were to bring out the same in hope, and the fact that He wore the crown of thorns is the pledge and assurance that the creation itself shall be delivered from the bondage of corruption into the glorious liberty of the children of God.

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BEAU HICKMAN'S MISTAKE.

He Worked Two Hotels for a Dinner but Chose the Wrong One First.

Some time ago, reading an interesting article about Mr. Hickman, the Beau Brummel of Washington years ago, reminded me of a story which I know to be true of him, and which, I think, never was published.

When he had not a cent in his pocket, he always contrived to have the appearance of a man faultlessly attired, even though his clothes were shiny and almost threadbare.

One evening, with no money in his pocket and not knowing where his dinner was to come from, he sauntered forth with a hat well brushed, perfect fitting gloves and his usual boutonniere.

Walking down a well known street in Washington, he entered one of the principal hotels, noted for its excellent cuisine. Slowly walking toward the dining room a waiter rushed to meet him with the words, "Will you dine, sir?" Slightly bowing his head, he followed the waiter, who conducted him to a table, relieving him of his hat, cane and gloves.

He dined sumptuously, not even omitting his favorite wine and a good cigar.

Having finished the waiter presented his check. Taking no notice, he called for his hat and gloves and proceeded to walk out of the place. The waiter stopped him and said:

"You have not settled your bill, sir."

"I have no money," said Mr. Hickman, "but I thank you for a very fine dinner."

The proprietor was called, was very angry and insisted upon the bill being settled.

"Look here, my friend," said Mr. Hickman, "I came in here and this young man asked me to dine, asked me what I would have, and said I could have anything I wished. I have enjoyed it very much, am very much obliged. It was a capital dinner."

The landlord, seeing the nature of the joke, and that he had been fooled, determined to turn it to good account. "See here," he said to Mr. Hickman, "I will tell you how we will arrange this and say no more about it." Taking him to a window he pointed across the street, saying: "Do you see that hotel over there? Well, that man is running in opposition to me. You go and serve him the same joke you have me and I will give you fifty dollars."

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At last, finding he could get no money, he said: "Look here, I will not arrest you, and if you will go across the street and play the same joke on that hotel opposite I will give you \$100."

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WIDE AWAKE is published by Dr. Lothrop & Co., at Boston, and costs only \$2.40 a year.

The February number of HARPER'S MAGAZINE needs no other recommendation to public favor than that which it carries between its own covers. Its literary contents are varied in theme, written by the best pens in the land, bright, fresh and entertaining; while the illustrations are numerous, generally spirited and supine. The Editorial Department is replete with good things—the very best of things; and in every other respect the number is a model one.

\* \* \* HARPER's is sold by the New England News Company, Boston, and by Sparrow Horton at the Old Woburn Book Store.

Too much praise cannot be bestowed on the COTTAGE HEARTH for February on the score of its literary, pictorial or mechanical merits. If a better number in either of these respects has ever fallen under our eye we have forgotten all about it. Atavate, the current issue of this most meritorious magazine is a superior one everywhere, and one which, we believe, is its great army of intelligent readers will highly prize. By reason of the liberal offer which we have kept standing for some years past in the JOURNAL OF THE COTTAGE HEARTH, the number of copies of this magazine is a large one, and the price of \$1.50 a year is a great value.

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### SPECIAL NOTICE.

All advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

### BLAINE OUT OF THE RACE.

We said at the time Secretary Blaine went to Bar Harbor last summer that he would never run for the Presidency again, and if our readers will cast their eyes back over the files of the JOURNAL they will see the prediction repeated several times in these columns during the following months. We were as sure of it then as we are now after reading his letter to General Clarkson that Blaine would not enter the contest this year, nor any other year in the future, and we have therefore read with some amusement what the leading papers of the country had to say on the subject during the past 6 or 8 months.

Blaine's political working days are over. He could not stand the strain of a Presidential campaign in which he was one of the principal characters. His health is not equal to such an undertaking and in all human probability it would break down entirely long before election day. It is no use to disguise the fact—Blaine is sick, and a campaign would probably kill him.

Now nothing stands in the way of Harrison's renomination. The politicians opposed to him are talking, but talk is all that it will amount to—Harrison will be the next Republican candidate, and he will be elected.

### FOR COUNCILLOR.

At last accounts it was claimed that Hon. Luman Jeffs of Hudson was ahead in the race for Loring's vacant chair, with Alonzo H. Evans, Esq., of Everett a close second.

Possibly the dye will be cast before this item is printed, for yesterday, we believe, was set apart by the Legislature for the election; but there existed a possibility that the matter would be postponed a day or two, and the candidates may yet be living in suspense.

Mr. A. H. Evans is President and was one of the founders of the Boston Five Cents Savings Bank, and is an estimable gentleman every way worthy of the office which his friends have been trying hard to have him elected to. He stands high in public confidence and respect and everyone believes he would make an able successor to Mr. Loring.

Mr. Jeffs too is a good man—a real nice man; but the chances are that Mr. Evans has secured the plum, or will in the end.

P. S. Mr. Evans was elected by the Senate: there is a hitch in the House.

### LOSING HER HEAD.

Miss Willard, the eminent temperance champion and President of the World's W. C. T. U., seems to have been carried away somewhat by her success and the honors that have been lavished upon her of late years. She has espoused the Granger cause and become considerably enthralled with the wild financial theories and economic vagaries of that rapidly declining Western political party, at which many thousands of people in America feel sorely grieved.

Miss Willard is a good woman, great-hearted, and talented withal; but she missed it when she gave willing ear to the Nebraska Granger and finally cast in her lot with that political faction.

We hope Miss Willard has not outlived her usefulness, but there are many who fear that she has seen her best days as a great moral reformer.

If it is possible that this State has got so poor that it can't pay for what advertising it wants? It looks that way. Men connected with the Gypsy Moth Commission, for instance, go around and beg poor country editors to do advertising for them free gratis! The State can appropriate \$75,000 to pay the Commissioners and defray the expenses of squinting paris green at harmless caterpillars all summer, but when it comes to advertising the business and spreading its wonderful exploits before the public through columns of solid type the State has the cheek to beg of country editors to do it for nothing!

Henry Faxon, the alleged Temperance Champion and Reformer, is a singular mortal. His head is full of strange crotchetts, and his inconsistencies have become a byword. An opinion is rife in the community that he is a good deal more anxious to keep Faxon's name before the public than to put down rummeling. Just now he is trying to make fame by opposing what is called the "drunk law." He had better let it alone.

The Republicans who buy and read *The Boston News* every day make no mistake. They couldn't do a better thing. The News don't quite so wide a swath just yet as some of the older papers, but it is as smart as chain-lightning and growing like a weed. It is genuine Republicans all the way through and those who buy and read it, allow us to repeat, make no mistake.

This is the anniversary of our Martyr President, Abe Lincoln, and in some parts of the Union it is observed with appropriate ceremonies.

### LOCAL NEWS.

#### New Advertisements.

Ella C. Lane—Card.  
T. H. Calfee—Wanted.  
J. D. Davis—Card.  
M. L. Allen—For Sale.  
M. L. Bancroft—Music.  
Patterson & Wiley—D. Notice.  
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Job Work.

*Job printing is done as neatly, as promptly, and at low prices, at the office as at any establishment in Middlesex County. Entire satisfaction in quality of work and price is guaranteed.*

Mrs. Bacon is quite ill.

It will be a busy day at the post office tomorrow.

Messrs. Carter & Perley have dissolved partnership.

Mr. John Johnson is remodeling the Morris furniture store.

Clerk Bond of the District Court is at his post of duty again.

The Hudson Associates will give their next dance on Feb. 26.

Bear in mind the Y. M. C. A. Grand Fair to be held on Feb. 22 and 23.

Alderman Waldron has had another sick turn, but is able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Reade have for a guest Mrs. Nora McManus of Hudson, N. Y.

There was a violent snow storm yesterday. What variable weather we have to, be sure!

The St. Charles C. T. A. S. have not yet secured permanent quarters, but hope to soon.

Gustaf Bryands, 16, wants a place to take care of a horse, a furnace, and a chore. P. O. Box 854.

Lawyer Packard and spouse have taken up their abode in Stoneham. We regret their change of base.

Mrs. James Walker of Boston was visiting her old friends and neighbors here last Friday and Saturday.

Dr. Springer will soon resume his practice in this city. He has been very sick at his former home Beverly.

Mayor Thompson took in the Massachusetts Mayors meeting at the rooms of Mayor Mathews of Boston last week.

Mr. John Ficker has about recovered from his recent severe illness and is around among folks again. Glad of it.

G. A. R. Post 31 and Relief Corps, 94, will hold a fair on March 9, 10, 11, for which active preparations are on foot.

There was rain last Sunday night. It was prime for lovers, for when they got there of course they couldn't go home in the rain.

The street railroad people met their match when they tackled the big snow storm yesterday. They all worked like beavers.

Mr. Edmund C. Colman has recently bought several lots on Wyman street of Mrs. Hart. He has full faith in the future of Woburn.

Mr. Geo. W. Kimball has got out after quite a long and anything but pleasant experience with grip. He is attending to business.

Mr. S. B. Goddard was re-elected Secretary and Treasurer of the Underwriters Association of Woburn, Stoneham and Winchester last week.

Things begin to hum in the tanneries and curving shops and business men's faces have shortened up several inches in the last fortnight.

Mr. Amos Cummings denies in any intention of dropping the dry goods branch of his large and lucrative business. It wasn't right to start such a story.

An effort is being made by one of the large Methodist churches of Lowell to secure Rev. Hugh Montgomery for a pastor at the next General Conference.

Miss Mary Moore has been spending a few weeks very pleasantly with her friend Miss Nellie Kenney, one of Milton's fair maidens. She returned home last week.

John Haggerty like to have got drowned in Horn Pond last Tuesday evening. He was rescued from a watery grave by James Brooks and George McCafferty.

Mrs. Sarah F. Blake, whose decease is recorded in this issue of the JOURNAL, was the mother of Mr. Freeman D. Blake of this city now visiting in California.

Wonder what the true inwardness of that Hook & Ladder horse dicker really was? It is said that Mr. J. M. Elles saved the city \$30, and on the same span of animals too.

President Grant and Secretary Lewis are making great preparations for the special meeting of the Board of Trade to be held next Monday evening. It promises to be a big gathering.

Dr. Bacon of Brockton, who has been at the bedside of his very sick mother, Mrs. John Bacon, this week, went back home yesterday. Dr. S. W. Kelley is attending Mrs. Bacon.

If you step into Mrs. Jennings's office when passing that way you will see pretty lively doing there. All the young women seem to be after places and everybody else out of it.

The Slattery Dramatic Club will give a fine Irish play at Lyceum Hall on the evenings of Feb. 22 and 23, for the benefit of the St. Charles C. T. A. S., which stands in great need of money just now.

Mrs. Mabel Thompson (*nee* Ronco) is building up a fine trade in her field of operations include Woburn, Winchester, Melrose and Lowell. She gives the very best of satisfaction.

There is a rumor that Mr. Frank Dodge is soon to form a copartnership with one of our leather manufacturers and that when formed the firm will carry on the largest business in the line down Woburn.

The great Y. M. C. A. Fair will be held on Feb. 22, 23. Extensive preparations for it are going on. The committee are hard at work with a view of making it the best Fair ever held by the Woburn Y. M. C. A.

David M. Johnson had both hands badly smashed at Webb's stiffering factory in Burlington last Monday. He went to the Massachusetts General Hospital where he had two fingers amputated, after which he returned home.

Within 5 miles of the Plastigaff on Woburn Common there are published every week 15 newspapers, and only a couple of miles beyond the 5-mile limit there are half as many more. Competition in the newspaper business? We should smile.

Job printing is done as neatly, as promptly, and at low prices, at the office as at any establishment in Middlesex County. Entire satisfaction in quality of work and price is guaranteed.

It will be a busy day at the post office tomorrow.

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The First Baptist Church in this city are experiencing a notable revival under the ministrations of their new pastor, Rev. W. C. Barrows. On last Sunday 9 persons were baptized and united with the church, and next Sunday 10 more will do so.

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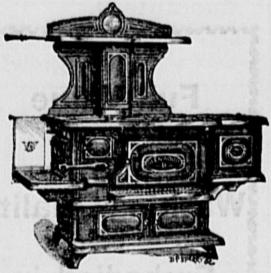
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Postage Stamps.

EDITOR WOBURN JOURNAL: The Post Office of the United States is supposed to be the only "big shop" in America where, habitually, its "small wares" are delivered to customers without wrappings to serve the dual purpose of protection and convenience. Its postage stamps are issued with one half their surface covered with adhesive mixture; with edges perforated to expedite separation. Only when in perfect condition will they be received again as legal tender by United States Government Officers—the Government only having power to appoint individuals for such acceptance. Generally stamps are delivered at Post Offices through a very small window or aperture which permits a violent draught of air to whistle through from corridor to inner office, which subjects the attendant to exposure and chill while the customer waits for stamps to be counted off, and possibly "change" to be made and delivered. Frequently the chit is such as to compel Postmaster or clerk, however courteously inclined, to retire speedily from dangerous exposure with a "bang" of the opened window which has admitted an unbearable degree of cold air.

The customer outside experiences kindred impatience while carefully stowing away the "sticky things." The purchase may have amounted to one cent or all the way on to dollars. The greater the value, the longer the count and wait for both parties. The purchase and disposition of postage stamps under such circumstances, for a busy man or woman, is an intolerable bore and has led to a habit of deserting the post-office in ones own town or city by business men and women who go to larger city for daily transactions. There they send a clerk to wait in the corridor and pay money for stamps into the larger office, thus depleting home interests and values.

Woburn is to be congratulated on the score of public spirit and enterprise evinced by her Postmaster, Mr. Arthur B. Wyman, who has put into operation a system of delivery for stamps which obviates the above difficulties in a large measure. Mr. Wyman has arranged ready for delivery at the stamp window, envelopes containing stamps of various denominations of the value of \$1.00. For instance, a man or woman in a hurry to reach a departing train goes to stamp window, holds in the hand a \$1.00 bill, at the same time holding up two fingers. The attendant quickly sees value of cash presented, sees the two fingers significantly extended and instantly presents an envelope containing 50¢ stamps. Clerk takes the money; purchaser picks up the envelope, ready disposed of it within pocket, purse or satchel, is off; and not a word spoken by either party. Examination will reveal the fact that the stamps within the envelope have been placed between layers of waxed paper which will prevent their masticated surfaces adhering and subjecting the owner to the provoking process of separation, often resulting in tearing and loss. Upon the upper left corner of the envelope is printed, "United States Postage Stamps, \$1.00." Upon the upper right corner is a print the size and color of stamps for which it is used, together with its denominational figure in the centre of colored print. Thus arranged and protected the stamps are in a designated receptacle, convenient for traveling, office or home use.

Because of their troublesome, sticky character many families buy but one at a time or in very small numbers, subjecting themselves to petty annoyances for lack of stamps at required moment. To such I say: Consider the generous and helpful enterprise of our Postmaster and instead of procuring a stamp for each letter, help to the good example he has set for others to emulate. To business men and women in Woburn, I say: purchase your stamps at the home Office and give here the benefit and encouragement due a public spirited, genial and efficient Postmaster.—X.

Mr. H. M. Reed lost a good horse last Friday.

Mr. House of the Junior Class of Andover Seminary, who assisted in the singing during the recent series of meetings, will preach Sunday in place of the pastor.

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New England Supper.

Our locals last week spoke of an Authors' New England Supper and Entertainment but gave no details.

This week we are enabled to give more light on the subject and our word for it will be one of the most novel and interesting entertainments of the season.

It is to be a regular old fashioned New England supper, six tables representing well-known authors, the waiters being in costume to represent the characters taken by them. The seventh table will be designated "The Farmer's Table," and in charge of Samantha and Josiah Allen. Supper will be served from 6 to 8 o'clock, after which there will be an entertainment, those taking part being in costume representing the characters taken by them.

The price of admission is so low that everyone can afford—and should arrange to go. The cost of both supper and entertainment is only 25 cents, and the entertainment alone 10 cents.

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**SPECIAL NOTICE.**  
All advertisements, to insure insertion  
in this paper, must be handed in as early as  
to o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

### THE "DRUNK LAW" SO CALLED.

There is a proposition before the Legislature to repeal this humane and efficient law. The two men most conspicuous in the movement are the great Quincy agitator, Faxon, and Rev. Hugh Montgomery of this city. Both might be in better business.

At a legislative hearing on the matter last week Faxon and Montgomery were about the only advocates of a repeal of the law. Montgomery read an array of figures in support of his argument that could by no possibility have the least bearing on the question, although he seemed to regard them as conclusive against the utility of the law. If they had been produced to prove that high license is the very worst system under which rum could be sold they might have had weight, but as an argument against the prolation act their influence was nix.

Almost the entire drift of opinions elicited by the legislative committee has so far been in favor of retaining the law. Judges, police officers, lawyers, and private citizens of note, have all pronounced against its repeal, and we advise Messrs. Faxon and Montgomery to keep hands off.

### ACCEPT CONGRATULATIONS, PLEASE.

Mr. Daniel W. Sanborn, Superintendent of its Southern Division, has been appointed General Superintendent of the Boston & Maine system of railroads to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of General Manager Furber a few weeks ago.

Mr. Sanborn has had an experience of 33 years in the business and is regarded by the best informed as one of the ablest railroad men in New England.

He is a genial, whole-souled gentleman. We congratulate him on his promotion.

**PRINTERS' INK.** A recent ruling in the case of *Printers' Ink*, published by the widely known firm of Geo. P. Rowell & Co., of New York, demonstrates the astute methods not unfrequently adopted by the Postoffice Department at Washington in carrying on their work. The ruling denies the right of *Printers' Ink* to be conveyed in the mails as second class matter on the grounds that it is not a legitimate newspaper, but an advertising publication. The last issue of that admirable class journal had to go through the mails as third class matter and cost the publishers for postage at 1 cent a copy \$850, whereas, if it had gone as second class matter, as it had a right to be carried, the postage would have been only \$60.76. But it is not the difference of \$733.21 that is involved, it is principle. However, one might as well argue with a man as with a Washington Department officer or clerk when he has got his mind set on a thing, no matter how absurd his position may be.

**BOSTON GLOBE.** The Boston *Globe* artist is a good one. In sketching local scenes he is without a successful rival in Boston. Take for example "Sunday Scene on Commonwealth Avenue and the Back Bay Fens" in last Monday morning's *Globe*—where is the artist that could produce a hastily drawn picture equal to it? The old gentleman who boasts of "the largest circulation" is an artistic inspiration—he is a study. "Rain," "Cold" and other bits of pencil-circling are inimitable. We do not know who the man is that produces these gems, but he, as before remarked, is a good one.

**LOCAL NEWS.** New Advertisements.

J. H. Munroe—Land.  
F. G. Clegg—Grocer.  
L. G. Hart—Citation.  
Alvah Buckman—Sale.  
Pettingill & Co.—Kickapoo.

**JOB WORK.**

Job printing is done as neatly, as promptly, and at low prices, at the JOURNAL office as at any office in Middlesex County. Entire satisfaction in quality of work and prices is guaranteed—it!

Nine above yesterday morning.

H. F. Dearborn of No. Woburn is quite ill.

John K. Murdock is laid up with La Grippe.

Evening sleighing parties are all the go. And such a racket they make with their tin horns!

And on Tuesday morning the mercury had fallen from 4 to 14 degrees, and a cold day followed.

Mr. George W. Copp, who makes cider and elder vinegar at Cummingsville, has a notice in this paper.

The postoffice will be closed next Monday, Feb. 22, from 12 m. to 6 p.m.: open as usual at other hours.

A testimonial benefit for the family of the late Dennis Murray will take place in Hibernian Hall this evening.

The choir of St. Charles church enjoyed a fine sleigh ride last Monday evening and followed it up with a grand supper.

Wednesday morning was the coldest of the winter. Thermometers indicated from 2 above to 2 below, the average being just zero.

Preparations for the 250th anniversary celebration are going bravely on albeit the affair is not to come off for 8 months from now.

Gordon Parker, the druggist, announces his intention to issue a monthly bulletin called "The Druggist" with a view of posting the public on prices, etc.

The first Dedicatory Anniversary of the Woburn M. E. Church will be held next Sunday with appropriate service. The choir will furnish extra music for the occasion.

Last Friday a pair of the Boston Ice Co. horses broke through the ice on Horn Pond and got an immersion that they did not greatly hinder. They were speedily rescued.

The man who says that a fire alarm box that costs \$75 is as good as one that costs \$150 either doesn't know what he is talking about or intends to deceive. It isn't "business."

Mr. Gilman F. Jones, the proprietor, says all stories about the anticipated sale of the Central House by him are entirely without foundation. There has been no talk about it.

Mr. Willard Smith, a leading dry goods merchant of this city, speaks to the public through the columns of the JOURNAL this week in a manner calculated to command attention.

Copeland & Bowser are cleaning out their winter stock of dry, dainty goods great reductions in prices in order to make room for a big spring stock. They are giving bargains.

We propose to print pretty soon "A Dream" dreamed by a prominent citizen of Woburn, or perhaps it might better be called "A Vision," which will interest our readers, we doubt not.

Mrs. Lydia Converse died at the Old Ladies' Home a few days ago at about 80 years. She had been a member of the Congregational Church 63 years. The funeral took place yesterday.

The roads were in a most ugly condition last Monday. There was any quantity of slush lying around loose, but Supt. Jones had taken the precaution to have the gutters in decent shape.

Ever since the big snow storm last week the fall was about 9 inches quite good sleighing has prevailed here, and the people have very generally taken advantage of it. Sleighing parties are numerous.

Things at Mr. Amos Cummings's store don't look as though he was going out of business—not a great deal. It was never livelier there at this season of the year than now, and Mr. C. is preparing for a heavy spring trade.

Supt. Sewell's men, horses and snow-plow of the N. W. St. Railroad made five trips to Symmes's Corner on Thursday night of the great snow storm. They worked all night and the result was that not a single trip on the road was missed.

Some say Eaton's shoe factory is to be removed from this place to somewhere else. Others say that a part of it is to go. Still another set stoutly contend that it is to remain in Woburn. "You pays your money and takes your choice."

Frank Bedell, who succeeded Conductor O. J. Hart, and has been running that train since the old Conductor's death, is just recovering from a severe attack of pneumonia. Mr. Edwin J. Hart, son of O. J., is running Conductor Bedell's train.

The wife of Mr. John Reade of Charleston, brother of our well known citizen and ex-postmaster, Mr. Lawrence Reade, died quite suddenly last Sunday. She was an estimable lady and left many relatives and a large circle of friends to mourn her death.

Cooper & Rand, active and reliable real estate dealers in this city, anticipate a lively movement in residence property in this city as soon as the spring opens. They expect to sell a great many houses during the season, and it looks as though their calculations might be pretty near the mark.

Mr. Alvah Buckman, the "old reliable" shoe dealer, has arranged for a clearing sale of leather goods as will soon be seen by his announcement in this paper. Unless we greatly err the people will get some big bargains when that sale opens. On next Tuesday morning a Woman's Polish Tip will be sold for 98 cents!

It is easily discovered with the naked eye that the organ of the Woburn Democracy, the lively little *City Press*, is not an admirer of its Democratic Congressman from this District, Sherman Hoar. It can't be possible that the Editor-in-Chief of the *Press* has an eye out for Sherman's place, eh? Strange things have happened.

Rev. C. L. Hall, Superintendent of the Mission School for Indians at Fort Berthold, North Dakota, will address the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of the First Congregational Church, Friday Evening, Feb. 19th, at 7:30 o'clock. He will also give a talk at the meeting of the Woburn Workers Saturday afternoon at 2:30.

If "variety is the spice of life" the weather we have experienced in this region of late ought to suit people who eat of peppery things. E. g.: on Sunday morning last at 7 o'clock Mr. Waterman Brown's weather indicator (always reliable) said it was 4 degrees above zero; on Monday morning, same hour, it was 40 degrees above. Some "variety," eh?

Thomas E. Cosgrove, who cut Kelley with a pocket knife in a bar-room row in this city a few weeks ago, got a sentence in the Superior Court last Monday of 6 months in the House of Correction. Not very severe. J. F. Barrett, who set the Central House on fire half a dozen times or more last fall and confessed to several of them, was sent to the Reformatory at Concord—the best and most judicious sentence that could have been given, and one with which Mr. Gilman F. Jones, the victim of Barrett's incendiary attempts, we opine, had considerable to do. The length of Barrett's sentence will depend on his conduct at the Reformatory, and as he is a good-hearted fellow and means nobody harm, the probabilities are that his term will not be a very lengthy one.

At one period in its history has the Lewis Music School in this city been so prosperous as at the present time. At no period has its work been

so satisfactory to the proprietor or so generally and highly appreciated by the public. The best and wealthiest classes of society in Woburn and neighboring communities send pupils to the School, the reason for which is to be found in the fact of Mr. F. H. Lewis's eminence in the profession and the intelligent and thorough training which pupils receive in the latest and most approved methods in teaching at his experienced hands. His School is a notable success in every way.

Mr. Robert Duncan has increased his business from 300 to 500 sides lately. Mr. Duncan, who is observant and level-headed, expresses the opinion and has sound reasons for it, that the leather business in this city has lately experienced a marked improvement and that there can be no doubt but that the hard times are over yet. He looks for a prosperous season.

Tonight will take place the testimonial to Mr. John A. Brauer at Music Hall (Dow Block), which will assume the form of a first-class musical entertainment, in which the Woburn Orchestra, The Woburn Brass Band, and the very best of imported talent will take part. It will be prime, and judging from the way tickets have been sold, the family members in the face and the grocery market a good 2 miles away. The situation was desperate rather than pleasing, and the Colonel, with a courage born of despair, so to speak, went out to the barn and got the barn-shoveled, returned to the front door, pulled down his ear laps, spit on his hands and—To continued.

Some of Mr. Mark H. Cotton's friends felt rather indignant towards the JOURNAL for saying that he "failed to qualify" as Treasurer of the First Congregational Parish, and from their point of view they were not much to be blamed for it. If the JOURNAL had said Mr. Cotton "declined to accept" the exact truth would have been stated, and all would have been serene.

Mr. E. Prior, one of our stirring merchants, began a great markdown, closing-out, or "slasher" sale of boots and shoes yesterday and will continue the same until the supply is completely exhausted. He has made marvellous reductions in the prices of boots and shoes, but he must reduce stock, and besides he wants more money than he now has. Hence the unpriced "slasher" of prices.

We learn that Winchester is to have a new grocery firm, under the style and management of Cobb, Bishop & Co. The Mr. Bishop referred to is our genial friend "Harry" whom every one liked while at W. H. Curtis's grocery and variety store, and who, by his affable and obliging ways, won many friends while in Woburn. "Harry" is a bright business young man, and we wish him success with the new firm he has united.

Houses, house lots and farms all sizes and prices are sold, sold, exchanged or leased, by John I. Munroe, negotiator and manager of real estate. He has exceptional facilities and can be seen at his Woburn office, 415 Main St., morning and evening, and at his Boston office, 35 Congress St., room 35, daily from 10 to 4 o'clock, where he negotiates a large amount of property outside of Woburn and is in the way to meet a very great number of purchasers for all kinds of ready.

It is evident that our people are taking a lively interest in the Y. M. C. Fair which is to be held next Monday and Tuesday evenings, Feb. 22, 23, for the admission tickets are selling very rapidly. They all realize that the cause is a worthy one and are disposed to aid it. They couldn't find a better one to help. And besides, the committees are energetic and pushing things. That makes a big difference. It is expected that the Fair will be the best ever held by the Association.

The entertainment to be given by the Slattery Dramatic Club at Lyceum Hall on the evenings of Feb. 22, 23, will be worth attending. The play is a popular one and the company who are to present it are all way up in private theatricals and will give it as good style as professionals. The curtain rises at 8 o'clock each evening.

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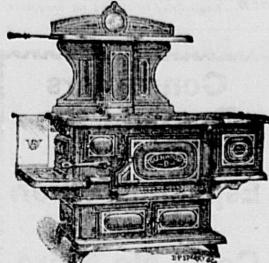
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A subscriber arraigns the JOURNAL for alleged misrepresentation and erroneous conclusions as to the comparative merits of some Boston teachers of the piano-forte in an article published last week under the title of "Interesting to Parents."

A subscriber informs us that the prominence given B. J. Lang was unjust towards other teachers as eminent as he was. The names of some of Mr. Lang's peers are given by a subscriber.

To a subscriber's sharp criticism of the JOURNAL we reply that our knowledge and interest concerning the subject were about on par—both very limited.

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Kids, cost \$1.00, \$0.50.

Woman's House Slippers, cost \$1.00, sell \$0.50.

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Men's Rubber Soled Shoes, cost \$4.00, sell \$2.00.

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Let it be distinctly understood that these goods are to be sold for CASH and no EXCHANGE.

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PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of Charles Hart, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased:

WHEREAS, Lena G. Hart, the Greenleaf, wife of the estate of said deceased, has presented her affidavit the first and final account of her said estate, and the same shall be allowed.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County, on the 1st day of March, 1892, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said administrator is ordered to file his account by publishing the same once a week in the Woburn Journal, and once in the Woburn Times, for three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days at least before said Court.

Given under my hand and seal, in the office of said Court, this sixteenth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

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Resolutions.

At the Fourth Quarterly Conference of the Methodist Episcopal church of Woburn, Mass., held Jan. 21, 1892, in view of the work accomplished and the general growth and prosperity of the church and Sunday School during the three years our pastor, the Rev. HUGH MONTGOMERY, has been with us, it was voted to spend upon the records of the church the following resolutions:

Resolved that we recognize and heartily appreciate the self-sacrificing work and devotion of our pastor, the Rev. HUGH MONTGOMERY, since he has been with us, and desire to express to him our sincere gratitude.

Resolved that in the erection of our house of worship he has labored incessantly and through his instrumental generosity contributions have been received.

Resolved we are glad to bear witness to his sympathy and tenderness for those in affliction and his patient and constant care for them.

Resolved that we are pleased to express our appreciation of his Christian character, and of the devotedness of his life as he has gone in and out among us; and we shall hold him in grateful remembrance and pray that success may attend his labors where ever in the providence of God his lot may richly deserves it.

THE BOSTON THEATRES.

The opening of Lillian Russell's engagement at the Globe last Monday evening in "La Cigale" was an occasion that will not soon be forgotten by those present. There was an immense audience and everybody went away delighted with the charming opera.

THE BOSTON.

Supt. Sewell did nobly during the big snow last week. He didn't lose a single trip to the Centre or Symmes' Corner, and made 5 trips to the latter point with his snow-plow during Thursday night. Supt. Sewell is a very efficient Street Railway manager.

I see that the Woburn Board of Trade contemplate building an electric street railway from Woburn to Arlington! I'd like to know who're going to ride on it after it is built. And again, wouldn't it look full as well for the Woburn Board of Trade to let Woburn build her own street railroads?

On Saturday, Feb. 13, 1892, Mr.

Stephen Cutler, the oldest person in this town, died aged 94 years, 3 months and 20 days, he having been born in Medford on Oct. 22, 1797.

He was a citizen very highly esteemed.

For many years he was Town Treasurer,

was one of the original Vice-Presidents of the Winchester Savings Bank, was a successful business man and an earnest promoter of the best interests of the place. Mr. Cutler was a gentleman of rare probity of character, of generous impulses, kind, and tolerant of the errors of his fellowmen. He lived to reach a mellow old age.

There are many people in Winchester who will sincerely mourn his death, although they must feel that their loss is his eternal gain.

Home enterprise and industries stand a mighty poor show in Winchester.

If there is any one thing that Winchester people are lacking in it is local pride.

Our population is a conglomeration of immigrants from every quarter of the continent, comparative strangers to each other, without a common bond of union, business homes in Boston and sleeping apartments here, which facts account in a large measure for their indifference to the welfare of the place.

Take for example our newspaper.

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THE BOSTON MUSEUM.

"Hours With Dickens" has proved a

great hit at the Museum. Manager Field is forever searching out and picking up the very best of dramatic plays for the frequenters of that favorite place of amusement and when he took up "Hours With Dickens" the most popular sketch was "A Dog and Son." "The Holly Tree Inn," to enjoy which large audiences visit at the Museum every night.

THE COLUMBIAN.

This is the last week of Julia Marlowe's engagement here and those who would see

and enjoy the professional work of this actress who have only that evening, tomorrow's matinee and tomorrow evening to do so.

Next week "A Straight Tip" will be the attraction at the Hollis.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.

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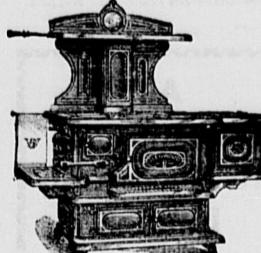


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The Salvation Army.

The meeting of the Woburn Camp of the Salvation Army in the lecture room of the First Congregational Church last Sunday evening was in the nature of a new departure but its novelty did not appear to detract from the interest which a very large audience manifested in the religious exercises conducted chiefly by the officers and members of the Army.

The lecture room was crowded to its utmost capacity. In the absence of the pastor, Rev. Dr. March, who had previously engaged to be present at a missionary meeting at the North Congregational Church, Deacon Joseph G. Pollard opened the meeting by reading the Scriptures and then called on Mr. A. B. Dimmick to offer prayer to which that gentleman heartily responded. Subsequent exercises were conducted by the religious soldiers.

These were interesting and instructive. They consisted of prayers, praise, a brief historical sketch of the Army and sermon by Major Brewster, personal experiences by members of the Woburn Camp, etc., all of which were listened to with profound attention by the audience.

Some statistics were given by the local commander which went to show conclusively that the Army have been a power for good during the few years they have labored in Woburn. Many conversions have been the fruit of their humble but earnest and honest efforts for the salvation of their fallen fellowmen. Men have been rescued from vice, from the toils of the demon rum, taken from the gutter, restored to orderly, sober, Christian lives and families and friends. The Army go out into the byways, into the hard, rough places in life, among the fallen, the downtrodden, sin-crushed, for their recruits—and save them.

While the place was going around for contributions to the cause, Deacon Pollard greatly interested the audience with some appropriate remarks in which the work of the Army was cordially endorsed. Evidently Deacon Pollard's words came straight from his heart and showed him to be the true, genuine Christian which all know he is. Other good Christian men were deeply interested in the meeting and gave a warm helping hand in carrying it on.

No doubt the new departure will result in good.

Water Works.

Stoneham is in a quandary, or perhaps it better be called a fix, over her public water supply. Eight years ago a private company put in works there and still furnish the town on the contract then entered into. This contract expires in two years, and now Stoneham is casting about with an eye to future business. Her people are sorry the town didn't put in their own Water Works to begin with, but the present burning question is how to get out of it.

A large majority of the citizens are in favor of buying the Works of the Company, as they have the right to do at the expiration of the present contract, while a few vigorously bolt the suggestion. This is the strange way in which some of them talk:

L. D. Hawkins said "Woburn started out with an estimate of \$300,000 for a water system, but before the plant was ready for operation that amount was more than doubled. Stoneham profited by Woburn's experience, and didn't risk putting in a system."

We fail to see how Stoneham "profited" by Woburn's example, for Woburn never made a more fortunate hit than when she determined to build her own Water Works instead of letting a private company have them. She has reason to congratulate herself not only on account of her superior service, but she could sell her Water Works today at a handsome advance on what they have cost her.

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Literary Notices.

The early spring number of HARPER'S MAGAZINE is filled with good things from introduction to "flair." Its literary contents are far above par, while the illustrations are numerous, spirited, and of the best workmanship. A large number of the papers are embellished with the work of well known artists, and writers of note furnish the letterpress. The fact is, HARPER'S is a standard magazine that deserves honored as the Principal of the famous school at Hampton, many years standing.

\* \* \* HARPER'S is sold by the New England News Co., 14-20 Franklin Street, Boston; and at the Old Woburn Bookstore by Sparrow Horton.

The February issue of this oldtime journal, THE MUSICAL RECORD, appears in a new dress. It has for a frontispiece a fine portrait of Padewski, the noted pianist, with biographical sketch by the editor, Dexter Smith. Its letters from Chicago, Philadelphia, New York, and London are filled with the latest news. An appreciative sketch of Dr. Lowell Mason, with Helpful Hints, Editorial Etiquette, Major and Minor, Editor's Letter Box, and many other musical items, make this by far the strongest issue of this favorably known journal. Its publishers, Messrs. Oliver Ditson Company, Boston, are determined to increase its circulation, and therefore offer to send a sample copy to any one of our readers, and we feel sure many of our musical friends will be glad to send a postal card request for it to them.

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The Reception and Banquet

of the C. L. S. C. held at the United States Hotel, Boston, Feb. 23, in honor of Bishop Vincent's sixtieth birthday was attended by over two hundred members mostly of the Association.

The POPULAR SCIENCE MONTHLY for March has a varied and attractive table of contents. First comes the fifteenth of Dr. Andrew D. White's New Chapters dealing with Astronomy. In the series on American Industry there is a fully illustrated paper on The Organ, by Daniel Spillane. Another illustrated article is Domestic Animals in India. Carroll D. Wright contributes an instructive paper on Social Statistics of Cities, in his Lessons from the Census. A lesson on the mechanism of the eye, with diagrams, is given by Dr. Casey A. Wood. The possibility of educating the moral faculties is discussed by Edward P. Jackson. The latest important discovery in zoology, that of the Australian Marsupial Moles, is described, with illustrations. There is a very spirited Auto-biographical Sketch of Justice von Liebig. An account of The Cotton Industry in Brazil is given. There is an able discourse on the natural history of babies. In the Editor's Table ethical teaching in schools is discussed and the other departments present a pleasing variety. New York is out into the byways, into the hard, rough places in life, among the fallen, the downtrodden, sin-crushed, for their recruits—and save them.

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Toast, "Lake View Presidents," response by Rev. B. C. Hinman. He read a letter from Ex-President Rutherford B. Hayes, who accepted an invitation to be at Lake View. G. A. R. day next summer. Song by Miss Blanche Burn from Ohio. "My heart to thy dear voice," response by Rev. N. E. Chapman. "To the Green," response by Dr. Dunning. "Three Cheers," response by Parsons, leader of the Banner Circle; cast for remarks by Revs. Bridge and Ramsey; Solo by S. Woodard. "Meditation," singing by the company. "Bliss be it in thy power," L. T.

February 18, 1892.

WINCHESTER.

The Democrats have chosen their delegates to the State convention, and a likely set of men they are too.

Isn't it about time for Col. Nat Richardson to grind out another grit of local history (!), traditions, yarbs, reminiscences, or whatever name his publications go by?

I understand that Lawyer McCall didn't like what I wrote the JOURNAL about Fred Joy being likely to knock me out politically pretty soon, which made me feel real bad.

The way our politicians are warming up over the forthcoming town meeting is a caution to sinners. Wars and rumors of wars are in store for us in the near future, and even now the pot has begun to boil violently. I know of at least 9 persons who are sharpening their tomahawks for the scalps of as many other persons, and more than our war-dance has already been held. Candidates? Lord bless you, acres of them!

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### JEREMIAH PERSECUTED.

LESSON IX, FIRST QUARTER, INTER-NATIONAL SERIES, FEB. 28.

Text of the Lesson Jer. xxvii, 11-21.  
Memory Verses 15-17—Golden Text,  
Jer. i, 19—Commentary by the Rev.  
D. M. Stearns.

11. "And it came to pass, that when the army of the Chaldeans was broken up from Jerusalem for fear of Pharaoh's army." We are now in the reign of Zedekiah, son of Josiah, the last of the kings of Judah. He, like the three who preceded him, would not listen to the words of Jeremiah, but he did differently, as we will see, and even asked the prophet to pray for him and for the people; verses 1-3. But the end was now near; the city is besieged, and God is about to give "The dearly beloved of His soul into the hand of his enemies." The king is, however, a little respite, for Pharaoh's army comes forth out of Egypt, and the Chaldeans depart from Jerusalem (verses 5, 10).

12. "Then Jeremiah went out of Jerusalem, and went into the land of Benjamin to separate himself in the midst of the people." The Revised Version says, "To receive his portion there." Anothoth, in the land of Benjamin, was his home (chapter 1, 1). He had been a faithful witness for God in the holy city, and his testimony had been accepted, so that he was sure that he should deserve to take advantage of this hill in the siege to retire if possible to the quiet of his own town.

13. "And when he was in the gate of Benjamin, he heard the sound of the word of Jehovah, the prophet, saying, 'Thou fallest away to the Chaldeans.' That the righteous should be falsely accused, persecuted, and even slain by the unrighteous seems a strange thing to many, and the prophet said, 'As I live, I am an eye-witness to your sins against me, and against the Lord, your God.' See the experiences of the first two in Ps. xxxvii and xxiii. In Jer. xii, we find the prophet talking with God after this fashion, 'I know, O Lord, that thou art righteously judging me, but I am a wicked person, and why do they hate me?—I am persecuted.' The admission to all similar circumstances is found in Heh. 1, 3.

14. "Then said Jeremiah, 'It is false, but he hearkened not to him; so Iriah took Jeremiah and cast him into the stocks in the prison to be beaten.' The Revised Version adds, 'If the prophet save only Iriah, he would naturally be greatly provoked, but if he saw the hand of God he would be quiet.'

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18. "Moreover, Jeremiah said unto King Zedekiah, What have I done against thee?" In somewhat similar form, Paul the apostle asked, "What have I done?" (Act. xx, 21.) Both Jeremiah and Paul had only spoken the words and done the works of Jehovah, and that was just what Jesus did, and for that they crucified Him. The way of God being contrary to man's way proved to be the cause of their suffering and their death.

19. "Wherefore the princes were wroth with Jeremiah and smote him, and put him in prison." Jesus forewarned His apostles that they would be tried and persecuted, and when they were, they were indeed tried, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper. W. A. Noyes, 820 Powers' Block, Rochester, N. Y.

xxix, 11, 12; xl, 4, 5. So God kept his promise to Jeremiah (chapter 1, 19), and delivered him, though many a time they sought his life. So He keep his word unto us, and we may sin, but He will not let us fall upon Him. See also, His promises to Ebed-Melech in chapter xxxix, 16-18, and remember that the same God makes equally great promises to all who put their trust in Him. "So Daniel was taken out of the den, and no manner of hurt was found upon him, because he believed in his God." For the same reason his three friends walked in the midst of the furnace (Babylon, Gen. xxi, 32, 33), and upon them God, Paul could say, "I know whom I have believed, and am persuaded that He is able to keep that which I have committed unto Him against the day of my death." Let us never suffer us from every evil work and will preserve me unto the heavenly kingdom!" (1 Tim. i, 12, iv, 17, 18.) All who go forth in the name of the Lord, His commandments, and His bidding, may surely rest in these promises, and remember that the same God who is a safe and a thing of naught, for I the Lord Thy God will hold thy right hand, saying, "Fear not, I will help thee" (Isa. xl, 12, 13).

### Sleep as a Medicine.

A physician says that the cry for rest has always been louder than the cry for food. Not that it is more important, but it is often harder to obtain. The best rest comes from sound sleep. Of two men or women otherwise equal, the one who sleeps best will be the most healthy and efficient. Sleep will do much to cure irritability of temper, weariness and uneasiness.

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### AN EXPENSIVE LESSON.

#### Still the Old Driver Feit That He Had Cured the Horses of Balking.

It is pleasant to succeed in what we undertake, but success is sometimes purchased at too high a price. A farmer had two very handsome horses of whose excellent qualities he was very proud; but unfortunately they had acquired the reprehensible habit of balking, which at times caused their good master much annoyance. One warm day in August he was driving to town with a load of hay. It was not only an unusually large load, but the hay was of fine quality, and the farmer felt an honest pride in driving through the village with it.

Just as he arrived at the top of the knoll that looked down upon the main thoroughfare, a long street lined on either side with stores and shops, the horses came to a dead standstill and refused to move another inch. Neither kind words nor the moderate application of the whip had the slightest effect, and the farmer was in despair. Suddenly a bright thought occurred to him. "Well, I guess these horses will change their minds in about two minutes," he said, smiling.

Rolling two large wisps of dry hay he placed them carefully under the stubborn animals; then he made a smaller wisp to serve as fuse, lighted it and placed it in such a position that the flame would soon reach the other wisps. Then he clambered upon the load again and took the reins, chuckling over his plan.

It succeeded. The horses, feeling the unusual and disagreeable heat, stepped forward briskly, but just far enough to escape the effect of the flame. Then they stopped again. In vain did their master from his lofty perch urge them on and snap his long whip. They were motionless.

The farmer reflected. "It appears to me," he said, a moment or two later, "there's an awful lot of smoke for a mighty little blaze." But as the smoke increased he first waded, and then slid to the ground to investigate.

The little blaze he had kindled under the horses was now exactly under the big load of hay, the bottom of which was already burning in fine style. Something had to be done.

Mounting the load with all haste, he seized a fork and began to throw the hay in all directions. His work, however, soon came to a stop, for the horses, feeling the warmth of the second conflagration, started off again, this time in good earnest; and the luckless farmer was glad to get to the ground as best he could.

Down the street sped the horses, dragging after them, mud to their discomfort, the great four-wheeled bonfire. The passengers, looking up the street and seeing the fire, immediately pursued by the horrified crowd of drivers, fled for their lives. Staid old farm horses tied to posts along the street broke their halters and started down the hard road. Women screamed and dogs barked, and some excited person, under the impression that the whole town was afire, rushed from the engine house and rang the bell vigorously.

Just what would have been the outcome, it is difficult to tell, had it not been for the fortunate fact that the wagon soon became too much burned to hold together. The charred wreck dropped in the middle of the road, while the horses, still dragging one blackened pair of wheels, continued their flight several miles farther.

When, an hour later, they were returned, with bloodshot eyes and badly singed tails, to their owner, he gazed upon them with a mingled look of sadness and triumph, and exclaimed, "Well, you pesky critters, I guess I've earned you a kick!" New York Tribune.

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While we are not to fear death,

but rejoice "die to gain," and "to depart in peace." —John Burke.

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# THE WOBURN JOURNAL FRIDAY, MARCH 4, 1892.

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Not only should pool and billiards be prohibited in saloons but every other game—draughts, dominoes, cards, dice, and the like—should be refused admittance, and if Mr. Faxon will get a law passed by our Legislature to bar out these “innocent” amusements in rooms where rum is sold gladly will the JOURNAL contribute a liberal sum of money towards erecting a monument to his memory.

The best results from efforts to “regulate” rumselling under a license that we ever knew anything about followed total prohibition of every kind of a game from the premises where the “stuff” was dealt out.

Reformer Faxon is on the right track: now let temperance men help him.

## THE LEGISLATURE.

Less grumbling about the slow progress which the Legislature is making in the direction of enacting laws is heard than there was a month ago.

A daily perusal of the work accomplished at the capitol is enough to convince any fair minded person that the present is a working Legislature, and that the members are discharging their duties faithfully and to good purpose.

## THOSE FREE PASSES.

An attempt was made the other day by a member from the western part of the State to get another and different decision on the anti-free-pass act, but he and his motion were downed with great promptness.

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Post 23—Fair  
Fri. N. Club—Lecture.  
Pettigill & Co.—Sales.  
H. Douglass & Y. L. T. Co.  
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### Job Work.

Job printing is done as neatly, as promptly, and at low prices, at any establishment in Middlesex County. Entire satisfaction in quality of work and price is guaranteed.—ff.

Mr. Humphrey T. Toomey is quite sick.

Those steamed clams at Gordon's are the boss.

St. Patrick's Day falls due in two weeks from yesterday—March 17.

Next summer we can slip to Stowham in about twelve minutes.

The Y. M. C. A. Fair last week yield a net profit of \$450. Pretty good.

Mrs. Rebekah Brooks who has been to California is on her way home-ward.

George S. Hudson has a yacht in process of construction at South Boston.

Some of our citizens are taking an interest in property at Kearney, Nebraska.

There was an incipient blaze in a house on Conant street early last Tuesday morning.

Capt. Luke R. Tidd continues to be quite lame.

The Woburn Woman's Club will elect officers this afternoon. Provisional permit.

Mr. Hinckley stated the railroad case to the Aldermen in the pure language of the United States.

On account of a raging snow-storm there were no sessions of our public schools last Wednesday.

At 10:30 next Sunday morning Rev. Dr. March, pastor, will preach on “The Fourth Word of the Cross.”

Last Tuesday was Shrove Tuesday, the next day Ash Wednesday, and next Sunday will be the first in Lent.

It requires two cars to convey Woburn people who work in Stowham, and who leave here early in the morning.

Shawsheen Tribe of Red Men dedicated with solemn rites and ceremonies their wigwam last Wednesday evening.

Miss Eddie F. Davis in the title role, assisted by an excellent cast cannot fail to make a success of the play *Tulu*.—31.

Mrs. McDonald of the Central House informs the JOURNAL that Landlord Thompson is still sick and gaining only slowly.

Treasurer L. Waldo Thompson of Woburn Council No. 774, American Legion of Honor, has paid a benefit of \$3,000 to Mrs. F. Dodge.

A “Maple street” sign on Hill street, Ward 5, has at last raised confusion, as was expected by residents of the locality when it was put up.

Mr. Alvah Buckman has had remarkable success in his “maple-down” sale of boots and shoes. He put prices so low that the goods had to go.

Very favorable reports have been received at this office of City Clerk Moreland's talk on the Australian Voting System before the High School last week.

Chief McIntosh and Officer Morris Dermott raided Frank Winn's premises on Fowl street the other day and seized some of the contraband. Go for 'em!

Mr. F. D. Cook, formerly of North Woburn, who makes his home in Gloucester, has been home sick a few weeks, but we are glad to see him out again.

Tulu which is to be given in March under the auspices of the Friday Night Club is undoubtedly one of the brightest comedies of the day. See cast.—31.

Postmaster Wyman is reaping many compliments from the people on account of his and his associates' satisfactory manner of conducting the duties of his office.

Mr. Griffin Place is going to make leather at the J. O. Cummings factory in No. Woburn. Evidently Mr. Place believes in leather. So say we all of us.

The fire at Chandler Parker's leather factory on Sturgis street last Saturday morning did damage to the amount of about \$100. It caught from a defective flue.

Rev. M. T. Allen, Esq., appeared for the remonstrants at the Legislative hearing on Mayor Thompson's petition for an amendment of the Woburn City charter yesterday. A strong opposition to the Mayor's plan for a Superintendent of Public Buildings, etc., has made its appearance, and yet it is our deliberate opinion that his idea is a good one. It does not by any means follow that the creation of the office proposed would increase the cost of performing the duties connected with the care of the public buildings, street lights and fire alarm. By the abolition of some offices and consolidation of others the expense of doing the business need not necessarily be enhanced under the Mayor's plan. Anyhow, the time is close at hand when something like what he wants will have to come.

John Daly, an employee of the B. & L. and B. & M. Railroad Companies of 30 years standing, who has nearly all that time been a resident of Woburn and served as a night engine cleaner until the terminus of the suburban section was removed to Wilmington last summer, had one of his feet so badly smashed by being run over by a car wheel at Wilmington last Sunday that he had to be taken to the Massachusetts General Hospital. It was the first accident met with in his long railroad service.

Rev. J. W. Hamilton of Boston, one of the leading men in the M. E. church, will preach the last of a series of Sunday evening sermons at 7 o'clock p.m. in the M. E. church next Sunday. It will be remembered that this gentleman took a prominent part in the dedicatory exercises of the new Woburn Methodist church and aided quite materially in securing funds towards paying for the beautiful house of worship. He is a very able preacher, and no doubt he will be greeted by a large audience next Sunday evening.

There is a tolerable fair prospect that the Johnston Electric Co.'s works in this city may be revived and established on a firm basis. Without knowing very much about the business it looks to us as though the re-establishment of the factory might be one of the things that the Board of Trade would find it profitable to look into and perhaps encourage. When in existence it was always represented that the works carried on a paying business and that with intelligent and economical management it could easily be made a financial success. It is worthy of investigation.

In his remarks at the Council hearing in support of applications of the North Woburn and East Middlesex railroads to the State for authority to set poles for electric propelling power last Tuesday evening Mr. Hinckley incidentally remarked that, in his opinion, North Woburn will soon become much more of a residence quarter of this city than it now is. His views are unquestionably correct. When horse power is exchanged for electricity in the N. W. S. R. the population of North Woburn will increase very rapidly, as nobody dares to think.

The two street railroads in this city lost no trips during the storm of Tuesday and Wednesday. Men and horses worked well and the tracks were kept free of obstructions all the time.

We congratulate Woburn's bright young Attorney at Law, Francis P. Curran, Esq., on his promotion to the office of Water Commissioner in place of P. H. Chaffey. He will make a good one.

U. S. Pensioners will find Sparrow Horton, Esquire, at his residence, 14 Church street, Friday, March 4, ready to execute their vouchers. His long sickness will prevent his being at his office.—21.

Drugist Gordon Parker has been appointed Inspector of Milk and Vinegar by the City Council and a better appointment could not have been made. He is a “Woburn Boy,” and the sort of a gentleman we like to see promoted.

In the P. S. to a letter received at this office last Tuesday morning the writer, a Boston gentleman said: “Just got a suit of clothes from G. R. Gage & Co. and it is a daisy. I tell you, Woburn can turn out good clothes.”

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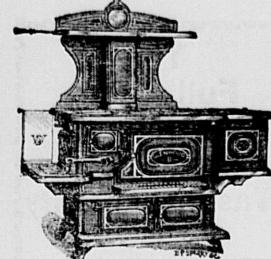
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Sidewalks.

Somewhere about a year ago Mr. C. Willard Smith, the dry goods merchant of this city, read a paper before the Board of Trade on the subject of "Sidewalks" which attracted much attention at the time and aroused a lively interest on the part of the people. The paper treated the question in a practical, common sense manner and was worthy of its wide circulation.

In his admirable Inaugural Address Mayor Thompson avertised this important subject:

"I think however that our sidewalks are not what they should be, and as we now have land with good material for the stone-crusher all paid for, the entire appropriation made can be expended on our streets. I would recommend that a special appropriation of a sufficient amount be made for sidewalks, so that they may compare more favorably with those of surrounding cities and towns."

The appropriation just made by the City Council for the Street Department for the current year is \$13,000: that for sidewalks \$2,000.

In view of the fact that Mr. Smith has taken a deep interest in this matter, of his having so recently read a carefully prepared paper in support of well-matured views, and also because as a prominent business man he has a vital interest in the city, A JOURNAL representative approached that gentleman the other day and solicited his views as to the Mayor's recommendations and also as to the appropriations just determined.

Mr. Smith is a firm believer in good sidewalks. "I cordially endorse," said he "the Mayor's plan and hope that not less than \$5000 would be appropriated for the improvement of our sadly neglected sidewalks—neglected solely for lack of money enough to make them better. I believe that the sidewalks of a town or city are a pretty fair index to the character of the people—at least, strangers coming into a place naturally inquire of its inhabitants by the quality of its walks. They advertise the city or town as nothing else does—not even the character of its newspaper. The importance then of having and constantly maintaining the best is obvious."

"Not nearly enough has been done in years past for Woburn sidewalks. In my judgment \$5000 a year for 10 years should be expended on them, at the end of which period no community in this Commonwealth could make a better exhibit than ours."

"I would not dictate as to how the business should be done, but that more attention should be paid to our sidewalks and more money appropriated for their improvement is so patent that no argument is needed to convince the most skeptical. Take it right here in the busiest part of the place—many of the walks are a disgrace to the city. Looking at or walking over them strangers are forced to the conclusion that we are a slatternly or very penurious community."

"Yes, I cordially endorse Mayor Thompson's recommendations on this subject, and, considering the real importance of it, I am gratified that it has been favorably acted on to the extent of \$2000 (not half enough) by the Council. I think too that I voice public sentiment pretty accurately when I bespeak early attention and generous treatment of the sidewalk question in this city."

The Journal is glad to place Mr. Smith's opinions before the public.

### Knights of Labor vs. Rum.

The American Knights of Labor have set an example which should be commended to every labor association throughout the world. One of the articles of their constitution reads thus:

"No local or other assembly or member shall, directly or indirectly, give, sell, or have for sale beer, or intoxicating liquors of any kind at any meeting, party, sociable, ball, picnic, or entertainment, whatever appertaining to the Order. Any member found violating this law shall be suspended for not less than six months, or expelled."

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Talked of for Congress.

The WOBURN JOURNAL says Mr. C.

Vey Holman of that city is being talked of as Democratic candidate for Congress in the 7th District. At present the District is represented by Congressman Moses T. Stevens of Andover.—Boston Herald.

Quite seriously "talked of" if the Journal has been correctly posted on the subject. And why not?

Mr. Holman would fill the bill to perfection. He is as bright as a dollar; just the right age ("Young Democracy" is on top in the party); has a plenty of money; is open-faced; a dyed-in-the-wool locofoco; and from a purely Democratic stand-point has only two defects which are his education (he is a Harvard graduate), and his practice of morning and evening ablutions. He could probably be induced to suspend this latter un-Democratic practice during the campaign however.

Burlington.

The Orange Party announced last week has given up for various good reasons and an entertainment by members of the Singing Class will take its place. Further particulars hereafter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rounds, the efficient Superintendent and Matron of the Alnus House, gave an enjoyable dinner to the Town Fathers last Thursday. Among the dainties that graced the feast was a fine fat turkey, a gift from Mr. E. Baker.

Rev. Mr. Williams of Andover Seminary preached at the church last Sunday in the absence of pastor. His sermon was very much enjoyed by those who were present at the morning service. There was a good attendance at the Y. P. S. C. E. meeting and also at the regular evening service.

Literary Notices.

The March CENTURY is particularly interesting to the many thousands who have constituted the audiences of the various Polish pianist, Paderewski, in different parts of the United States. These papers on Paderewski are parts of the musical series which THE CENTURY is publishing this year. The frontispiece is an engraving of Paderewski from a photograph, and in addition a drawing by Irving R. Wiles is given showing the great virtuoso at the piano. Accompanying these pictures are A Critical Study by the distinguished American pianist and composer, William Mason. A Biographical sketch, by Miss Fanny Morris Smith, and a poem, by W. W. Gillett entitled How Paderewski Plays. The biographical sketch, brief as it is, contains, we understand, the fullest particulars ever yet given of the life of this famous subject. These are followed by St. Paul's Naukratis, Characteristics, Genius within Hearing of Death, The Bluebird, Gay's Romance, Middle Georgia Rural Life, The Farmer and the Lawyer, Legislation, Topics of the Times, Open Letters, and many other literary and pictorial good things.

The March number of ST. NICHOLAS contains a novel and useful sketch by John M. Ellicott of the Navy, describing how a landing is made through the heavy surf of the Pacific Ocean. Boys readers may learn how to avoid the dangers of an upset when caught in a small boat during a squall. The scheme is received with much favor, and is considered by conservatarians to be more sensible than furnishing oars for the conduct of a business.

Certain land owners have been approached, and have agreed to make liberal terms, and also to subscribe for the stock.

There is a decidedly better feeling in business lines, nearly all the tanners and curriers increasing their output and putting on more help.

There are now 25 individuals and firms carrying on the leather business, and the only vacant shops are the Bishop at the West Side, and the one on Cross st. recently vacated by Ollie & Cobb, *Western Globe*.

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### Boston Theatres.

#### THE COLUMBIAN.

"The Lost Paradise" is enjoying one of the most successful runs of the season, to which the large attendance at each performance attests. The play is so well written, and is produced with such fine effect, that once or twice seeing it does not suffice to make you tired of it. Please remember this and govern yourselves accordingly. There will be an extra matinee on St. Patrick's Day, Thursday, March 17.

#### THE PARK.

"The Jolly Surprise" closed on Saturday evening. Next Monday Thomas W. Keene, Tagore and Gold Molasses will leave Boston for other fields and sighs will be heard from all sides. The life at Rock-bottom farm is brought to mind in a new side of existence and many people will be hard to see. "The County Fair" does me good." The few remaining weeks will no doubt draw large houses and good seats can always be had by applying early.

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**DOWNTIME OF JUDAH.**

LESSON X, FIRST QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, MARCH 6.

Text of the Lesson, Jer. xxix, 1-10—Memory Verses, 6-8—Golden Text, Math. xxii, 38—Commentary by the Rev. D. M. Steele.

1. "In the ninth year of Zedekiah, king of Judah, in the tenth month, came Nebuchadnezzar, king of Babylon, and all his army against Jerusalem, and they besieged it." In chapter III and in II Kings xxv we have this same story of the downfall and captivity of Judah. While the Babylonians were besieging Jerusalem at three different times, He certainly asks our special attention to it, and must have some great reason for doing so. The ten tribes had been in captivity over 100 years, and for that period, as well as for the most part 200 additional years since the death of Solomon, God had been bearing with them, plowing with them and chastening them, that when He should come, this judgment would come upon them (Hos. 11, 11-13; Joel 1, 5-7; Amos 3, 1, 2, and the pre-emptive prophecies everywhere). All this was in view when the prophet Jeremiah, in chapters 27-35, and considerably after a long warning they had had, and how the false prophets taught the people to laugh at and despise it.

2. "In the eleventh year of Zedekiah, in the fourth month, the ninth day of the month, the city was taken up by a party of Chaldeans, and in an interval of eighteen months, including the short interval of last week's lesson, did the siege continue and then the city fell, as God had said. He may lovingly and patiently show His long suffering, but His Spiro will not always be patient.

3. "And all the princes of the king of Babylon came in and sat in the middle gate." The enemy sits in the gate of the holy city—what a contrast to the blessing of "Thine enemies shall be in the neck of thine enemies," and the promise of Abraham, "Thy seed shall possess the gate of his enemies" (Gen. xlix, 8; xxii, 17). It was promised to Israel that one should chase a thousand, and two put ten thousand to flight, and that no man should stand before them (Exodus 17, 12; Joshua 1, 15), but unbelief and turning away from God brings all this trouble upon them.

4. "When Zedekiah, the king of Judah, saw them and all the men of war, then they fled, and went forth of the city by night." All this was in view when the prophet Ezekiel at Babylon, and was shown to the people of Israel, who were there in an object lesson by the prophet (Ezek. xii, 1-5).

5. "And when the Chaldeans' army pursued after them, and overtaken Zedekiah in the plains of Jericho and brought him to Nebuchadnezzar." It being the purpose of God that Zedekiah should be taken, it was therefore impossible for him to escape. Perfectly true, but the greatest dangers are all whom God permits to prosper, but there is no hiding place and no safety for any who rebel against Him. They may be sure that their sin will find them out. (Numb. xxxxi, 15.)

6. "When the king of Babylon slew the sons of Zedekiah before his eyes; also the king of Babylon slew all the nobles of Judah." If the children follow the sins of their father and walk in his ways they will suffer punishment with their father; but if they do not follow in his steps, rather compelled to witness the sufferings of his children because of sins into which he led them? Let ungodly parents consider this ere it is too late.

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is the kingdom of God?" Though we may not have this world's goods, if we have Jesus we are rich for time and eternity, and are heirs with Him; and when the unbeliever asks, "What is your secret?" we reply, "The captain of the guard" (chief executioner)—see margin), cruel to many, can only bring us blessing. May Jesus be all to us; then we will be well content to wait and suffer with Him this life, while others live only for self and strangers here. Like Abraham we contentedly sojourn in the land of promise, owning not a foot of it except perhaps burial place, while we look for the city which is to come. Those whose keeper is not God. Or like Moses having respect unto the recompence of Christ greater riches than the treasures in Egypt (Heb. xi, 9, 10; Acts vii, 5). There is such a thing as laying up treasure in heaven whether we have little or little here, and there is such a thing as being rich here and awfully poor in eternity (Mat. vi, 16, 20; Luke xii, 30, 31). The writer earnestly desires for all who read these notes that they will pray for the soul of John Paul. He may be in them; or, better still, the spirit of Christ himself, for that is the fullest measure, that God may glorify.

**The wrong way.** with Catarrh, is to stop it without curing it. The poisonous, irritating sniffs, strong caustic solutions, "creams," balms and the like may, perhaps, palliate for a time. But they may drive the disease to the lungs. The wrong way is full of danger.

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And this makes its proprietors willing to prove that it's the right thing for you, no matter how bad your case or of how long standing.

If they can't cure your Catarrh, they'll pay you \$500 in cash.

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**Known of Old.** The ancients were probably acquainted with the species of fireflies which are so familiar in this country, because the most remarkable of these are peculiar to America. The great lantern flies of southern Europe and Asia, which are sometimes called "flying glowworms," are allied to the boat flies and water scorpions. On the other hand, the fireflies of the tropics are beetles. The latter are of somber hue in the daytime, and it is only at night that they show their lights.—Washington Star.

**London Society Not Exclusive.**

English people simply adore an oddity of personal description. Like the Athene of old, they are ever on the lookout for some new thing, something that will entertain them, and an American in London is continually surprised by seeing people crop up in society there who would not be tolerated here. Paradoxical as it may seem, it is nevertheless true that good New York society is much more exclusive than the fashion set in London.—Interview in New York Tribune.

**Fareday's Investigations.** Fareday's Investigations.

It would be out of place to enter at any length upon the nature of Fareday's discoveries. Suffice it to say that to his patient investigation and inspired insight into nature we owe, among other advantages, the whole system of the electric telegraph, the use of electricity for medicinal purposes, the telephone and the electric light.—Murphy's Magazine.

**Abnormal Developments.**

No horned tortoise now exists, but a fossil specimen was found on Lord Howe's island, in the southern Pacific, which had four horns on its crest, and resembles a cross between a horned toad and a snapping turtle.

Daubenton, you have often heard of human beings with horns. Such appendages in their case are abnormal developments of bone.—Interview in Washington Star.

**Where Camels Are Clothed.**

In Semipalatinsk, where the camel is found, the annual variation of temperature sometimes reaches 87.3 degrees. In Eastern Asia winter is the time of the animals are made to work. Then came in a personal prejudice, born of hard experience.

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### SPECIAL NOTICE.

All advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

### FOR TEMPERANCE.

Last Monday a large share of Massachusetts held their annual meetings to elect officers, vote appropriations, and transact such other business as might properly come before them.

The license issue was a burning one in nearly all of them and on both sides yeoman's service had been done previous to the vote being taken. The result was a glorious victory for the cause of temperance. Out of 50 towns reported on Tuesday morning 43 voted for prohibition the day before and only seven for license. In Worcester county the "No License" side made almost a clean sweep, and in all the country around Boston only a few places were for license. Many of them voted "No" for the first time and many others changed their minds from license last year to anti-license this.

The figures show that only about 10 percent of all the towns of the State voted on the side of Rum last Monday, which we think was the best exhibit the temperance cause has made in this State for several years, if indeed it ever did before under the present legal methods of dealing with the question.

### QUIETED DOWN.

The opposition to Mayor Thompson's move to get our city charter amended in a certain feature, on which a spirited legislative hearing was held last week, seems to have subsided in a great measure if not totally. It is probable that when the question came to be looked at in a calm and dispassionate manner by those who opposed it it was found to be less objectionable than at first blush it appeared to be. Quite likely too it has been found out that there was "no politics in it" after all. One thing is very certain and that is, that the Mayor's move for the amendment had been a political one—a measure in behalf of political friends—the JOURNAL would not be "in it" for a minute; but such, we believe, was the case.

Mr. J. Howard Nason of this city was foreman of the jury that tried Mrs. Halloran in the Superior Court at East Cambridge this week.

The funeral of Patrick Burke, an old and esteemed citizen of Woburn, took place last Sunday. It was largely attended and an imposing affair.

The article by A. Cummings in this week's JOURNAL tells its own interesting story. We would advise the ladies to give it a careful perusal.

— That Minstrel show by the St. Charles C. T. A. S. will be a stunner. Everything is in perfect trim for the best show of the kind ever given in Woburn.

Necessary repairs are under way in the leather establishment of E. Cummings & Co., and in the mean time the hands are idle.

Tulu which is to be given in March under the auspices of the Friday Night Club is undoubtedly one of the brightest comedies of the day. See cast—3t.

Tickets to the Entertainment of the Martha Washington Council, at O. U. M. Hall next Wednesday evening are for sale at the drugstore of Mr. Gordon Parker.

IMPORTANT NOTICE! To the young ladies who enjoyed the Officer's Party: Read the announcement in this week's paper of the Leap Year Social to given to March 23.

— Rev. M. J. Savage will lecture under the auspices of the "Friday Night Club" in the Unitarian Church Friday evening, March 11th. Subject "The Good Old Times".

Not many idle men have been seen on our streets of late. There is activity all along the line. Leather business in Woburn "comes and goes like the old woman's soap."

Frank C. Nichols is getting his teams and other riggings to shape for the big ice race this Saturday he ever had in his life. Mr. Nichols, everybody truly says, is an honest ice dealer.

— The Practical Results of Legal Prohibition in Maine' is the text from which Rev. W. C. Barrows will address the people at the union temperance meeting at the M. E. Church next Sunday evening.

C. A. Rathbone of Foxboro is about to put an advertising clock in the postoffice on a novel plan. So far as we know he is a reliable person and his scheme has good points to recommend it to the public.

The ladies of the Unitarian Society will give a Leap Year Social for the benefit of the church on Wednesday evening, March 23, in Lyceum Hall. Tickets now on sale at Hammond's clothing store.

Mrs. John Knight, of 24 Sturgis street, now almost 87 years old, made her annual visit to the JOURNAL office yesterday morning. It was her first trip down town since the first of January last. She is a very smart old lady.

— William Rhindress was bound over in the District Court last Monday morning in the sum of \$400 for his appearance at the next term of the Superior Court on a charge of indecency. He is a deafmate. Lawyer Allen defended him.

It is said that Mr. Charles G. Lund of Warren street and Mr. D. W. Bond of No. Woburn have formed a co-partnership and will carry on the leather business at the Bond factory at No. Woburn. We trust the report is correct.

— Copp's sweet, non-alcoholic and therefore harmless cider, is said to be a pretty fair preventative of the gripes. The JOURNAL doesn't favor the drinking of "unfermented" cider even, but it does not wish to be included in the category of cranks.

The religious interest continues unabated at the First Baptist church in this city. There were three converts last Sunday evening, one at the Wednesday evening prayer meeting, and every service is largely attended by deeply aroused seekers.

We are authorized to make the positive statement that Mr. Griffin Place is not going to make leather in the Cummings factory at No. Woburn, or say body's else's factory, all the other papers to the contrary notwithstanding, including some Boston ones.

— The Ninth Annual Report of the Woburn Woman's Club, written by their accomplished Secretary, Miss Grace M. Bryant, is a document which the members of the Club and those interested in it will no doubt peruse with pleasure. It will appear in these columns in due time.

— Mr. John Hewitt makes an announcement in the JOURNAL this week, "For Sale" in this paper.

— Yesterday was a charming spring day. Where are the bluebirds?

Gordon Parker's Druggist appears out as bright as a dollar this month.

— The rain storm cleared away on Tuesday night. It was short and sweet.

— The boys began about a fortnight ago to indulge in the spring game of marbles.

Reader, cast your eye over our advertising columns and notice "Want-ed" at the JOURNAL office.

Last week Mr. Studley killed a wild fox in the woods at No. Woburn. That seems quite rural-like.

The Park Commissioners declare that they want no appropriation this year for Park purposes. Good!

The advertising columns of the JOURNAL don't have the appearance of "hard times" very much, do they?

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Hose 6 will give a grand ball and assembly at Hose House Hall on the evening of March 17. Prepare for it, gents.

Bro. Rev. C. H. Washburn, pastor of the Congregational church at Falmouth, has caused to be printed an elegant 4-page programme of the Falmouth Summer Institute for 1892, on which we find one of the lecturers our own Principal S. W. Mendum of the Woburn High school.

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Mr. James Buel who has been lame for four months from an injury to one of his legs has got so he can almost walk without a cane.

Mr. J. Howard Nason of this city was foreman of the jury that tried Mrs. Halloran in the Superior Court at East Cambridge this week.

The funeral of Patrick Burke, an old and esteemed citizen of Woburn, took place last Sunday. It was largely attended and an imposing affair.

The article by A. Cummings in this week's JOURNAL tells its own interesting story. We would advise the ladies to give it a careful perusal.

— Last Monday afternoon Mr. George W. Duren fell through a trapdoor at the Bartlett market and sustained serious injuries. A bone in one shoulder was broken and being a large, heavy man it is feared that he may have received internal injuries. Mr. Duren is the Manager of the Dow Block market.

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— IMPORTANT NOTICE! To the young ladies who enjoyed the Officer's Party: Read the announcement in this week's paper of the Leap Year Social to given to March 23.

— Rev. M. J. Savage will lecture under the auspices of the "Friday Night Club" in the Unitarian Church Friday evening, March 11th. Subject "The Good Old Times".

Not many idle men have been seen on our streets of late. There is activity all along the line. Leather business in Woburn "comes and goes like the old woman's soap."

Frank C. Nichols is getting his teams and other riggings to shape for the big ice race this Saturday he ever had in his life. Mr. Nichols, everybody truly says, is an honest ice dealer.

— The Practical Results of Legal Prohibition in Maine' is the text from which Rev. W. C. Barrows will address the people at the union temperance meeting at the M. E. Church next Sunday evening.

C. A. Rathbone of Foxboro is about to put an advertising clock in the postoffice on a novel plan. So far as we know he is a reliable person and his scheme has good points to recommend it to the public.

The ladies of the Unitarian Society will give a Leap Year Social for the benefit of the church on Wednesday evening, March 23, in Lyceum Hall. Tickets now on sale at Hammond's clothing store.

Mrs. John Knight, of 24 Sturgis street, now almost 87 years old, made her annual visit to the JOURNAL office yesterday morning. It was her first trip down town since the first of January last. She is a very smart old lady.

— William Rhindress was bound over in the District Court last Monday morning in the sum of \$400 for his appearance at the next term of the Superior Court on a charge of indecency. He is a deafmate. Lawyer Allen defended him.

It is said that Mr. Charles G. Lund of Warren street and Mr. D. W. Bond of No. Woburn have formed a co-partnership and will carry on the leather business at the Bond factory at No. Woburn. We trust the report is correct.

— Copp's sweet, non-alcoholic and therefore harmless cider, is said to be a pretty fair preventative of the gripes. The JOURNAL doesn't favor the drinking of "unfermented" cider even, but it does not wish to be included in the category of cranks.

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— Mr. John Hewitt makes an announcement in the JOURNAL this week, "For Sale" in this paper.

— Yesterday was a charming spring day. Where are the bluebirds?

Gordon Parker's Druggist appears out as bright as a dollar this month.

— The rain storm cleared away on Tuesday night. It was short and sweet.

— The boys began about a fortnight ago to indulge in the spring game of marbles.

The following are the new officers of the Hudson Associates: President, James A. Mc Murray; Vice-President, Joseph Weaver; Treasurer, Thomas J. Weaver; Financial Secretary, Lawrence S. Murphy; Recording Secretary, John J. Doherty. The club is in a flourishing condition.

— There appeared in the last number of The Music Trades a complimentary notice of Mr. W. O. Bacon, Superintendent of the Chickering & Sons, New York piano establishment. Mr. Bacon was until recently a resident of Woburn where his parents and other relatives now live.

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— Miss M. L. Bancroft has a change in her card which can be seen on page 2 of the JOURNAL. She has entirely recovered from her ill health occasioned by the prevailing malady and is going on with her classes as usual. Miss Bancroft is having the best of business as well as professional success this spring. Her rare musical accomplishments and knowledge of the art are well appreciated in this city.

— Miss Gertude M. Bickford and Miss Edith Ramsell of the Highlands are graduate next month from the Boston School of Oratory and Elocution at which they have been studying since graduating from the Woburn High School. A friend of theirs dropped into the JOURNAL office last Tuesday morning and imparted the information that these young ladies were capable of making their mark in the profession.

— There stands on exhibition in one of druggist Whitcher's front windows a large photograph of the rear side of Public Library taken by Mr. C. H. Taylor of Pleasant st. which is not only artistically executed but makes a picture full as handsome as any front view of the building and grounds that we have ever seen. Mr. Taylor don't pretend to be anything but an amateur artist but he takes a fine photograph.

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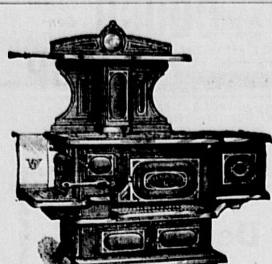
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## Ginghams, Cambrics, and Prints.

Our line of Ginghams we would call especial attention to. The same being extra wide and fine, intended for 25 cents, we offer at 15 cents. As we have only about 500 yards, and probably can get no more, an early call is advisable.

## Copeland & Bowser.



## A. L. HOLDRIDGE, AGENT FOR THE Clenwood Cook — AND —

## Garland Oil Stoves.

Pouring Tools and Oiling Seeds of all kinds. Stoves stored for the Summer. Blocked and se up in the Fall at reasonable rates.

### City Government.

#### ALDERMEN.

The Board held a regular meeting on Thursday evening of last week and transacted a good deal of business. Mayor Thompson presided.

The Mayor appointed and the Aldermen confirmed Henry A. Taylor a special Police Officer without pay. A election was received from Joseph Hill for State aid and the same was referred to the Committee on State Aid.

Rev. John Quincy petitioned for a water main in the Catholic cemetery at Montvale. Referred to the Committee on Water. — Other petitions—Charles O. Amazeen for license to keep a pool table, referred to Committee on Police; James T. Conole et al for Electric Light on Elijah street, referred to Committee on Street Lights.

The bond of James F. McGovern as Constable was received and ordered deposited with the City Treasurer.— Bryan McSweeney was drawn as a Juror to serve at the Superior Court.

The report of the Chief of Police for the month of February was received, read and ordered placed on file. An order was then read which was offered by Alderman Richardson endorsing the petition of the Mayor to the Legislature to amend the City Charter for the creation of two new offices, Inspector of Public Property and Superintendent of Fire Alarm. This order was passed, Alderman Ham's vote being the only one that was in the negative.—An order was offered by Alderman Dearborn in behalf of the petition to Legislature, making the City Treasurer the only authorized official to receive money and give certificates. Passed.

Alderman Richardson offered an order authorizing the Mayor to appoint a Committee of three of which he will be one with such as the Council may join to act with the Committee on Street Lights in securing the re-location of street lights so as to best serve the public interest and convenience. Passed, and the Mayor appointed Alderman Ham and Walsh of Ward 5.

**Bucklin's Araria Salve.**  
The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and Skin Eructions, and positive cure Piles, or piles may required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by F. E. Lovell.

**A Veteran.**  
Mr. Stephen Hadley, the flagman at the Central street (Montvale) railroad crossing, is now over 77 years of age and decidedly smart for his years. In his young days he lived near the Stoneham line. He often came to Woburn Centre when a lad and remembers that one day he found on the road a dressed sheep which had evidently fallen off a wagon. He viewed the "flock" and determined to get it home, more than a mile and a half away.

He had hardly reached his teens but had fair strength and much courage and when he was satisfied the owner had not discovered his loss and that the mutton would fall into somebody's hands if not his, he stod it up a best he could, got under it, and staggered toward stone. It was powerful heavy and gained at least five pounds a step. He had to drop the burden often to get his breath. He did this in front of a dwelling near the foot of Woods Hill, and a man came out and scolded him for attempting to carry such a load.

The residence of Louis Bartie, 6 Cabot street, Winchester, was burglarized Friday night. Two gold watches, chains, rings and silverware were stolen, all valued at \$300. An entrance was gained through an unfastened window in the lower part of the house. Some of the jewelry was stolen from a room where Mrs. Bartie was sleeping. The residence of Mr. F. Gustin of the West Side was also thoroughly ransacked on the same night and things turned topsy-turvy. The thieves must have been frightened here and suddenly slid out for they got no plunder. Mr. Gustin and family congratulated themselves on their escape from robbery.

**Resolved.** That our charter be draped in mourning for a period of thirty days; and that these resolutions be placed in our records and a copy be sent to the family of the deceased and also that they be published in our *Golden Cross Journal* and local papers.

**Latest.**  
Both branches of the City Council held meetings last evening.

There will be a plenty of applications for positions on the Police force.

Children under 12 will be permitted to take books from the Public Library.

Chief McIntosh's health wasn't any better yesterday than the law allows— cold.

**Lane's Family Medicine Moves the Bowels**  
Each day. Most people need to use it.

## WINCHESTER.

Dr. Church has gone to Bermuda for rest and recreation. He will return in April.

The Star wants to call it Cutter Park instead of Winchester Common. Good idea.

Winchester is getting too big to be "run" by a trio of Selectmen. No backward step, gentlemen, if you please.

Mr. W. W. Hill conducted services at the Y. M. C. A. meetings last Sunday. He made a very favorable impression.

Five houses in this town were burglarously entered on last Friday night and a good deal of valuable plunder was carried off. Where are our policemen?

I don't have much doubt but that Fred Joy could beat McCall several sled-lengths in a Congressional race. Fred is a keen one, and "dev'lish sly," as Captain Cuttle used to say.

The Selectmen are keeping the date of Town Meeting a profound secret. I really don't see how this town could possibly get along without such wise men at the head of the town government.

The Winchester L. A. S., complimentary to the Catholic Total Abstinence Society, will celebrate on April 27 by a grand Leap Year party. It promises to be a popular affair and a big one.

**Boston Courier:** Mrs. B. G. Abercrombie, Mrs. Henry Nickerson, and Mrs. Albert A. Sergeant will give a reception and dancing party in the Town Hall, Winchester, Tuesday evening, March 15.

Rev. D. A. Newton preached an able discourse on "Modern Idolatry" at the First Congregational church last Sunday evening. In writing it he wasn't obliged, unless he wanted to, go outside of Winchester for his composition.

It is whispered round that Lawyer McCall is sort of trembling in his boots over Congressmen. He thinks Speaker Barrett can help him out, but he can't. There are several men in this town who are 10 times as likely to be elected Congressman from this District as McCall is.

During his severe and protracted illness Dr. George P. Brown has gained some idea of the number of good warm friends he's got here and abroad. Here with all the rest of the folks, I'm right glad to learn that the Doctor is on the road to complete and robust health once more.

Lawyer Elder's Congressional boom is over, those who would avail themselves of this last opportunity to see it should hurry up for the house is crowded at each performance. There will be an extra matinee at St. Patrick's Day, March 17, and March 24 the 100th performance will be celebrated by presenting each lady holding a reserved seat a beautiful souvenir.

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### SPECIAL NOTICE.

All advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

### EXCUSE US, PLEASE.

A few days ago a communication was received at the JOURNAL office from Mr. E. H. Forbush, who appends to his name "Director of Field Work" against the Gypsy Moth, asking the aid of our paper to disseminate information respecting the history, habits, location, and devastations of that obnoxious exotic for whose extermination the State pays a Commission \$75,000 a year, to which communication we respectfully reply, please excuse us, Mr. Forbush—"puffing" is out of our line of business.

Mr. Forbush must be a gentleman of considerable assurance, to call it by no harsher name, to us to publish his letter without pay, for its contents are of a purely business character and it is of such length as to warrant on our part the demand of a considerable sum of money for its publication.

If however the State is too poor to pay for advertising the Gypsy Moth, and "Field Director" Forbush will give his time and labor for its extermination gratis, the JOURNAL, not to be mean about it, will publish such advertisements as that received last Tuesday from Mr. Forbush without charge whenever he feels in the mood of sending them.

### AND SO HE WILL.

Some few weeks ago the Traveller devoted nearly three columns on this issue, [Woburn liquor licenses], and Mayor Thompson, who is a strong temperance man, in an interview with the Traveller reporter, stated that he would do his duty when the time came to act on the matter of license.

According to the law, the Mayor has no voice in the matter, other than granting victuallers' licenses. To get a liquor license it is necessary to have one of these. Now the question is will Mayor Thompson, a temperance man, grant these victuallers' licenses, or stand upon his principle of "license," and refuse to grant victuallers' licenses that are only the nucleus for a liquor license? *Boston Traveller.*

Mayor Thompson is a straightforward man and a conscientious public officer and it may be depended on that he will do just what he thinks it is his duty to do in the premises.

And so will the Aldermen.

### EDITORS IN COUNCIL.

Several members of the Republican Editorial Association met in a convention, with representatives of the State Committee, at headquarters, 2A Beacon st., Saturday afternoon, for the purpose of devising plans and adopting means for carrying the party to victory in the coming campaign. Chairman Draper and Secretary Ratchesky of the State Committee participated in the deliberations.—*Boston Herald.*

The State Committee will have an influential auxiliary, no doubt in the Editorial Association this summer if the past is a fair criterion to judge the future by. In the last State campaign the Republican party were materially aided through their State Committee by the Association which, as we understand it, will be in a position to do still better work when the time comes for active operations in the field this year.

### THE 250TH.

The general understanding is that things are working.

The grand celebration is said to be a sure thing, but where the money is to come from has not yet been decided on.

The City Council entertain no fears concerning the fate of Mayor Thompson's application to the Legislature for power to appropriate \$7,500 to defray the expenses of the celebration—they it is sure to go through.

How Senator Wyer and Representatives Hall and Hevey stand on the matter is not generally known, although some claim to have private advices which place them in favor of the legislative permit.

That a plenty of money from some source or other will be forthcoming in due season to pay all the bills for the celebration seems to be a foregone conclusion.

### GROVER IS WILLING.

Ex-President Cleveland's letter addressed to his friend Gen. Bragg of Wisconsin in which he announces his candidacy for the Presidency has been published. It says he is a candidate if his party want him and the nomination can come without a fight for it.

We had not thought there was any doubt about his being in the race (unless Hill's course should make it impossible for him to enter), nor is the letter to Gen. Bragg calculated to affect the public belief as to what Mr. Cleveland has all along proposed to do provided there should be a fair prospect for success.

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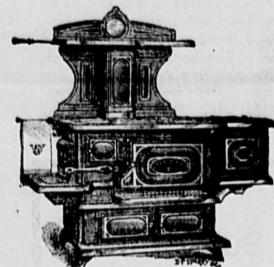
Speaking of the temperance meeting last Sunday evening to a JOURNAL reporter Principal Lewis of the Lewis Music School said: "It is a shame that the churches in this city are so lukewarm and indifferent on the subject of temperance as they are. If they would unite all the way and is not sure that that may not be the plan adopted. It would be a fine arrangement for passengers for the circuit because with a double track there would be no delay in making connection. But a turnout will materially help the matter.

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**Save the Mayor from his Friends.**

EDITOR OF WOBURN JOURNAL:—In your last issue you remarked in your notice of the temperance meeting at the Methodist church, which was held last Sunday evening, that "The design of the meeting is to strengthen the hands of Mayor Thompson and the Aldermen in their determination to treat the question of licenses in this city this year from a high moral and religious standpoint." These expressions are in line with some of your recent editorial utterances regarding the expediency and desirability of a refusal by the Mayor and Aldermen to issue licenses.

Mr. Griffin Place, in the course of his remarks at the meeting Sunday evening, said in substance: "We have a Mayor who will not, I assure you, sign a license unless the applicant is a person of good moral character. The Mayor is an honest and reliable man and a true Christian, a man whom we have known and loved these many years and can depend on him."

Mr. Montegomery said that the present Mayor had in the past been an earnest temperance advocate, had spoken for the cause and had put his hand in his pocket to support it, and he (Mr. M.) could not believe that with this record and with the history of his family in Woburn for 200 years he would ever affix his name to a license authorizing an unfit person to sell liquor.

These utterances sound well and no doubt many good people earnestly believe that it is to be impossible this year for the class of men who have held licenses in the past to receive them again.

I have been making some investigation on this subject and from what I can learn I reach a different conclusion. As I understand it in this city it is required that the annual finance bill embodying the appropriations for the several Departments and fixing the sum to be raised by taxation shall be passed in the month of February.

This has been done this year and the bill was published in some of the local papers. The Mayor, as Chairman of Committee on Finance, practically makes up this bill; it is known as the "Mayor's Budget." I have read this bill over and it seems to me it throws much light on this license question.

It appears that the bill that is now in the Miscellaneous Department a sum in the neighborhood of \$1,000.

It also appears that in order to provide the necessary amount for the Police Department about \$6,000 is transferred from the Miscellaneous Department of Outside Relief and Alms-house about \$7,000 is so transferred from the Miscellaneous Department to these two above named Departments. Thus \$13,000 approximately is transferred from a Department where there is now only about \$1,000. This looks funny at first glance but it is explainable. The only source from which funds can come into the Miscellaneous Department during the year in sufficient amount to provide for the drafts is from liquor licenses. If there should be no receipts from this source there would be absolutely no provision for the Departments whose support is fixed to come from the transfers. The Mayor has clearly shown that he expects a revenue of \$13,000 or more to swell the funds in the Miscellaneous Department. He has anticipated license money to this amount and thus reduced the amount to be raised by taxation and correspondingly helped to keep the tax rate down.

The facts are not stated here with a purpose to criticize the Mayor for this action. His course may or may not be legitimate and advisable. My opinion is that such action is not necessarily improper where the Mayor proposes to sign licenses. But when Mayor Thompson has deliberately banked on the license money will not his friends do him a favor if they cease to proclaim that he is going to refuse to sign licenses?

The Mayor will find the City Treasury empty and be forced to resort to a temporary loan to pay expenses before the end of the year unless license money is received. He has clearly calculated the financial problem of the year and the most casual glance at the sum of his estimates shows that the item of \$15,000, more or less, from

licenses has been anticipated and largely appropriated in advance of its receipt. What fully then to predict no license!

Does any one believe that men of better moral character or cleaner records will apply for licenses this year than have done so in years past? Does not everyone know that the present holders of licenses are almost without exception confident applicants for their renewal? Is not the Aldermanic combination which selected the licensees a year ago substantially intact and in fact stronger than it was then? Did nearly all the present licensees assist in electing their Aldermanic friends and contribute money and votes enough to secure a change of administration without the best assurances that they should retain the privileges they now possess? These things are patent to anyone who takes pains to consider or observe facts. Why then should Mayor Thompson's difficult position be rendered more irksome by his friends?

Apparently the present licensees not only expect their licenses to be renewed but there are signs that they expect also lower license fees. The publication in Boston papers lately of their lamentations of dull business, losses, etc., is clearly a move in this direction. Let us hope that the rate will be maintained even though it is settled that licenses are to be granted.

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Board of Trade.

Things are booming and humming and forging ahead at the Board of Trade Rooms. Several times a week Secretary Lewis issues postal card notices for special meetings which are promptly responded to by large numbers of members.

It seems like old times at the Rooms. Since the Journal has come back and put its broad winged shoulders to the wheel things have been lively. After all said and done, it takes the old town to infuse life, warmth, energy, and confidence into the Board and to boom their meetings, measures and means. The older members have forgotten the JOURNAL's work in former days.

It has started in again, and things have begun to move down at the Rooms. The business Committee are on the double-jump all the time.

Consequently, new business is coming to town.

A whole raft of firstclass manufacturing companies are seeking locations in Woburn. Secretary Lewis will have to get a basket to carry his correspondence in pretty soon if things keep on in this way.

Outsiders are rapidly learning that Woburn is the best locality for manufacturing operations in Middlesex county.

They all want to get here.

Last Tuesday a large Boston furnace manufacturing company had representatives here looking to see what facilities we could offer them for the prosecution of their industry.

Doctor Seth W. Kelley had the gentlemen in charge, and the Board of Trade are now considering ways and means for securing this very desirable establishment.

The Company propose fair and easy conditions.

President Grant feels elated over the business outlook and is boozing hard for all it is worth.

So also is Secretary Lewis and like wise the able, active and efficient Business and Executive Committees.

Only a few less than half a dozen other large manufacturing companies are looking longingly Woburn-ward for location.

All of them have a plenty of money and employ many workmen.

None of these people ask local capitalists to subscribe for stock.

They stand on their own bottoms; and everyone of them is a business institution greatly to be desired by any town or city.

The present is Woburn's opportunity to secure great additions to her manufacturing industries, to her population, her trade, her wealth.

It is now or never with her.

The Board of Trade, handsomely backed up, encouraged, assisted, and splendidly boomed by the JOURNAL, are putting their best foot forward and are bound to win business or go down with all flags nailed to the masthead and gloriously floating in the breeze.

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Eight thousand pencils are employed in the Woolwich (England) Arsenal.

The Princess of Edin is a success. The way in which it is presented satisfies all. Mr. Wilson as Silas Elm has ample

**North Woburn.****A BOOM.**

Ward Six turns her face towards the morning.

She wants to advance her business interests and attract residents within her borders.

To bring these good things about it had been proposed to organize an association to include all the public spirited people in that portion of Ward six, known as North Woburn.

A movement was started last Thursday evening.

The place was the vestry of the North Congregational church, and although a storm was raging without, a fair number braved it, to encourage by their presence the men who were guiding the affair.

At 8 o'clock Alderman Charles T. Dearborn asked the gentlemen to listen while he stated, what was already known, the object of the gathering.

It was the vestry of the North Congregational church, and it was best to advance the business interests of the locality. There was no dependence upon the Board of Trade as that was a local organization looking after the interests of the Centre, and nothing could be accomplished in Ward 6 it could only be brought about by a combined effort of the people there. An organization must be formed and if it was the sense of the gentlemen to so organize he would ask them to choose a Chairman.

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He had in mind some concerns which might be secured with some effort. Another thing he wanted to see was a real estate agent in the village so that searchers for property could find estates without much trouble. If an organization was to be formed to attend to the needs of the village, it would be well to have a committee to look after the interests of the Centre, and nothing could be accomplished in Ward 6 it could only be brought about by a combined effort of the people there. An organization must be formed and if it was the sense of the gentlemen to so organize he would ask them to choose a Chairman.

Alderman Dearborn was nominated and unanimously chosen Chairman, and Mr. Harry M. Call was similarly chosen Secretary.

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This is all the more mysterious, as he appears never to have paid his tradesmen. I have often seen it stated that England ought to be proud of one of her greatest statesmen having died poor. Neither Pitt nor England had reason to be proud of a statesman, enjoying an ample official income, dying heavily in debt and making the payment of his tradesmen's bills dependent on parliament voting a sum to meet the liability.—London Truth.

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### REVIEW OF THE QUARTER

LESSON XII, FIRST QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, MARCH 20.

Review of the Lessons of the First Quarter—The Spiritual Judah and Israel. Commentary by the Rev. D. M. Stearns.

It has been the custom to devote the last Sunday in each quarter to a review of the quarter's lessons, but the plan for 1892 is to have the review one Sunday earlier, and devote the last Sunday to a missionary or temperance lesson. This is done to better concern God's people (Israel) and their glorious future. While Israel's history is, in a measure, typical of the history of the church, and was written for our profit (Rom. xv. 4; 1 Cor. x. 1, 2), yet we must be careful not to apply it to us. We, the Israelitish Christians only Israel, the whole or a portion of the twelve tribes, and never the church. So Judah, Jerusalem, Zion always means just what the words indicate, and must not be spiritualized, else the Bible will be made meaningless and unintelligible.

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## SPECIAL NOTICE.

All advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

## DEFECTIVE OPTICS.

The moral and mental strabismus with which our esteemed Democratic contemporary down the street, the spic and sprightly City Press, is afflicted leads it into many editorial errors, inconsistencies and unwarranted conclusions. That its constant view of itself, mentally and morally speaking, is from across the bridge of its own nose must be perfectly apparent to every intelligent person who undertakes to follow it in its editorial vagaries. The victim of such intellectual obliquity is surely an object to be commiserated.

The esteemed C. P., when dealing with the Republican party or Republicans incumbrants of public posts of honor in the reprehensible practice of saying, practically, "Can any good thing come out of Nazareth?" For example: our esteemed, etc., can discover nothing to commend in the present Republican city government of Woburn. It has deliberately expressed the opinion that Mayor Thompson is no better than he should be, if nothing worse; that the City Council are a lot of featherweights; and the official incumbrants at Municipal Building are a mercenary gang at the best. To cap the climax it persistently declines to recognize ours as one of the best City Governments in the Commonwealth.

This false and prejudiced view of the matter which our esteemed, etc., refuses utterly to change under any possible circumstances, is the unmistakable manifestation of a very bad case of mental and moral strabismus; it is the direct result of roaming over the firmament with one eye, and watching the pot hanging on the crane in the fireplace with the other, both operations carried on simultaneously.

## CATALOGUING.

Edward F. Johnson, Esq., would be different from other men if he failed to be pleased with the annual report of the Librarian of the Woburn Public Library. A few weeks ago he raised something of a commotion among the Library people by giving his views through the columns of the JOURNAL on the question of cataloguing the books, and now on opening the Librarian's report for 1891 he finds his views endorsed and his plan of issuing a catalogue recommended, although perhaps somewhat timidly.

When published Mr. Johnson's ideas were considered by some as altogether too radical for home consumption, but he seems to have understood himself, and now here comes the Librarian, who is supposed to voice the sentiments of the Board in matters of the kind, and not only gracefully admits that he did understand himself but that his views on the subject will have to be adopted in practice sooner or later in the Woburn Public Library.

## DON'T DO IT.

Some parties in Boston of a speculative turn of mind have asked the Legislature to pass a law to compel all Court advertising in the State to be done only in the paper which they will start just as soon as their prayer to the Legislature is granted. There is check for!

Editor W. E. Barrett, who is the present Speaker of the House, told the Legislative committee when the hearing on the petition took place, that he would pay \$50,000 for the rights and privileges which these gentlemen had asked for, and well might, for the sole control of the Court advertising in this State would be worth untold wealth.

It is not likely the Legislature will give the brazen proposition of the Boston parties aforesaid another moment's serious consideration.

There has recently been organized in this State a society called "The Anti-Saloon League," which has adopted for its watchword, "The Church versus The Saloon," of which Rev. O. Mears, D. is President, and Rev. Hugh Montgomery is Secretary. Mr. Luke Warren Fowle of this city is a member of the Executive Committee. The League is composed largely of Ministers of the Gospel and on its rolls are the names of many of the most distinguished divines in this Commonwealth. They are all earnest, active temperance workers too. They will do no end of good.

Isn't the talk and fuss over Fire Chief Ferrin getting to be just a little bit nauseating? What is there about Ferrin that some people feel constrained to stand up for him against all comers and in the same breath cry down ex-Chief Littlefield and his administration? Gentlemen, if this quartet must go on let us have fair play all round. Let us see to it that one side don't try to build itself up by pulling the other side down. Give Littlefield credit for what he did, and if Ferrin has a mortgage on the city let him foreclose it.

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Not a few of our rural contemporaries are falling into the JOURNAL's way of thinking about and treating the Gypsy Moth question. Considering that the JOURNAL stood very nearly alone last year these changes on the part of influential suburban journals are very gratifying to us.

Senator Wyer, Chairman of the joint Committee on water supply, presided over the hearing in progress on petition of Malden, Medford, and Melrose for further legislation regarding Spot Pond. The town of Stoneham remonstrates.

The Republican party of this city will hold caucuses on April 4 to select delegates to the District convention.

## LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.  
Mrs. Page—Notice.  
W. H. Doyle—Bicycles.  
Com. of Mass.—Hunting.  
F. C. Moore—Books.  
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## Job Work.

Job printing is done neatly, as promptly, and at low prices, at the JOURNAL office as at any establishment in Middlesex County. Entire satisfaction in quality of work. Enriches are guaranteed—it is.

Officer Keen's present beat is at the Highlands.

Buy your ranges and stoves of C. M. Strout.—3t.

A rousing rain storm set in last Wednesday morning.

Druggist Buss is sick. Dr. Harlow is his family physician.

There is a likelihood of a good demand for real estate this Spring.

We publish a notice for a Legislative hearing in this paper. Read it.

Particular attention is called to the card of C. W. Greene & Son, in this paper.

This has been a regular old fashioned March, the first one in quite a number of years.

A Fall River official was in town one day last week, looking for an offender. He did not find him.

It is rumored that Francis A. Partridge is about to build a dwelling for himself on New Boston street.

Another attempt will soon be made to get the laboring men interested in the 250th anniversary celebration.

Tuesday afternoon the wind worked itself into the southwest and a real spring thaw put in an appearance at once.

The other day Judge Johnson fined a young fellow \$20 for assaulting his poor old mother and served him right too.

Bro. A. Grant keeps right on hammering away at Chief Ferrin through the columns of the Democratic organ in this city.

Col. A. L. Richardson appeared on the streets last Tuesday for the first time in several weeks. He has regained his health.

According to the almanac makers spring began last Monday, but judging by the weather nobody would have dreamed of such a thing.

Alderman Fowle, so report has it, is quite ill with scarlet fever. He was just recovering from a severe illness when the S. F. seized him.

The Wilson family, which just now attract public attention on account of a charge of poisoning against a son, lived in Woburn about thirty years.

Mr. Foggs of Limerick, Maine, has been spending a few days in this city with his wife Mrs. L. M. Foggs. He returned to Maine early in the week.

According to our local weather prophet, Mr. Flagg, severe meteorological disturbances may be confidently looked for from the 29th to 31st of this month.

Mr. E. Cotton and Miss Ada C. Hammell of this city read papers at a meeting of the Middlesex Central Christian Endeavor Union held at Winooski last week.

Montvale Park is enjoying a building boom, several houses being now in process of erection and more to soon commence. A store will also be established there.

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Chief McIntosh and officer McDermott made a very successful liquor raid last Sunday. The places where intoxicating drinks were seized were located on Buckman, Prospect, Vining and Conn streets.

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There is a stir among the business places in our city. Preparations are evidently going on for beginning spring trade. There is a general brushing up and putting of things to order which is pleasant and encouraging to see.

Mr. N. A. Richardson, the local historian of Winchester, is writing a "History of the Black Horse Tavern." Perhaps he can get help from an article from the San Francisco (Cal.) Chronicle published in the JOURNAL today.

Mrs. L. M. Fogg, the well known and popular milliner in Dodge's block, is now in New York city making purchases for her spring trade. Her intention is to buy a large and choice stock of all kinds of millinery goods.

Miss Celia Reade went down to Boston last Tuesday evening to hear Patti who she esteems as the chief of prima donnas. Miss Reade is a lover of good music, vocal and instrumental, and sings and plays admirably herself.

One has only to see the great amount of bark now on the line of railroad to learn the condition of business in Woburn is satisfactory. Ald. Brown buys the most of the bark at first hands and sells to the manufacturers.

The Annual Report of the Woburn City Government for the year 1891, with the Record of Births, 1873-1890, is published and a copy has found its way into this office. We have not examined it critically, but presume it is all correct.

To a person who likes good things to eat Mr. Durward's market possesses strong attractions. There is nothing in the line of vegetables, domestic fruits, and so forth that cannot be bought at Durward's popular market at very moderate prices.

The other day the chimney of the lately burned currying shop on Broad street blew over and great was the fall thereof. In its descent it struck and utterly smashed a small building which escaped the fire when the shop was destroyed.

Mr. C. M. Munroe is arranging for a big trade this spring. His Fitzpatrick as sureties, approved.—The Auditor's report for February was received and placed on file. From it was gleaned the item that back taxes are due as follows: 1890, \$2,254.06, and of 1891, \$16,312.60.

State Aid Committee reported orders as follows, and they were passed: Phoebe Flint, leave to withdraw; Reuben Green, Rufus A. Lovering, Alonzo W. Persons, \$6 a month; Charles H. Foss, John Bobbins, Joseph Johnson, John Hill, \$4 a month.

Mr. Jennings has a business card in the JOURNAL this week to which we call attention. She has stocked up her store with a full supply of spring goods, all of the best kinds, and sold very cheap. The business of Mrs. Jennings' Intelligence office is constantly on the increase and it is surprising how many people apply there for employment and employees. She is very particular in this line of business and enjoys the confidence of the public.

Mr. Edmund Andrus engaged as a driver for Frank C. Nichols, the ice man, and will begin work for him on the 1st of April next. He has driven on one of Hart & Co.'s express wagons for some time past to the entire satisfaction of all parties concerned, but Frank Nichols is one of those people who think nothing is too good for them to have, so he could not rest until he secured the services of Mr. Andrus. Ed. has been there before, and Frank knows him root and branch.

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The Leap Year Party at Lyceum Hall last Wednesday evening was a high-up, AI, society event. The *bois de la creuse* of Woburn's fashionable circles were there, and they danced "till daylight dawned." The Floor Directors were: Madams S. B. Goddard, H. B. Cleaveland, Winthrop Hammond. The Ushears were: Misses Crane, Ferguson, Parkhurst, Ramsdell, R. J. W. Phinney, and Frank Graham; Carpenters, glaziers, painters and decorators have changed Trinity into an entirely new edifice, so far as its appearance is concerned, and have made it one of the neatest and pleasantest houses of worship in this country.

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The Sunday school children, of the Congregational church were entertained by the Woburn Workers at that church on last Sunday afternoon. The little ones heartily enjoyed themselves in many of the pleasant games known to children after which refreshments were served by the ladies in attendance.—A Local Sheet. Strange, if true!

On next Sunday morning Rev. Mr. Montgomery will preach on the biblical view of the temperature question at the M. E. church, and in the evening additional temperature work will be attended to. Our opinion is that he will submit some strong arguments on the side of prohibition for the audience to ponder over, and it is more than probable he will speak to a large audience.

The lads of the High School young gentlemen perhaps it would be proper to call them—have taken a step in the right direction. They have organized a Debating Society. It was a good move, and may its success be all and much more than the most modest of the members hoped for. The officers are: President, Daniel B. Dimick; Vice-President and Treasurer, William H. Hartwell; Secretary, Amy Carter—young gentlemen "in whose vocabulary there is no such word as fail." Regular meetings of the Society will be held on the 2nd and 4th Mondays of each month.

The Woburn Gas Light Company held a meeting last week and declared a semi-annual dividend of 4 percent. The consumption of gas for illuminating purposes is on the increase in this city. One would scarcely think it when the amount of electricity used is taken into account. It is nevertheless true that for purely lighting purposes more gas is consumed here today than ever before. Besides that, its use for heating and cooking purposes is gradually making headway. Within a year Sept. Gilchrist says he has put in almost 250 stoves and the demand for them is increasing.

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The Overseers of the Poor report an increase in orders last year of \$763.27, amount to \$109,750.55.

The City Solicitor reports the following cases pending against the city: W. vs. Page; same vs. same; W. vs. Treasurer, Adam Bustead; W. vs. Woburn; Sauborn vs. Woburn; Sauborn vs. Woburn. Notices of other suits have been received.

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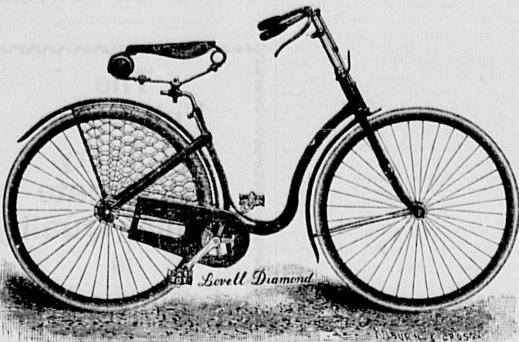
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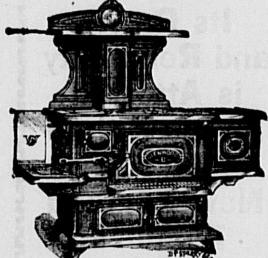
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EDITOR OF WOMEN'S JOURNAL:—It seems that the accuracy of the facts and the correctness of the conclusions contained in my communication to the JOURNAL last week are disputed or doubted by some. I am unable to confirm them from official sources.

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North Woburn.

I want the JOURNAL to emphasize the sentiments of Mr. B. Frank Kimball at the meeting held to discuss plans for an increase of business in this part of the city. He struck the right chord. His words had a "business" ring to them that sounded like the genuine metal. I have not heard so much good practical sense expressed by anybody in a public speech since I came to Woburn. The Board of Trade orators haven't hit the nail on the head as Mr. Kimball did. I tell you, Mr. Editor, that nine-tenths of the manufacturing concerns that want Woburn to keep them to locate here are not worth having. And I'll tell you another thing, you may talk and talk and talk until the cows come and unless you can show that Woburn has facilities for business, which other places have not you can't get manufacturers to come here no how you can fix it. I like what Mr. Kimball said so well that I ask you to republish the JOURNAL's excellent report of his speech. Here it is:

"Mr. B. F. Kimball was the next speaker, suggesting that the matter of trying to secure industries had been overdone, as every country town had made a bid for a shoe factory, and the result is that many of these are now idle. He thought the organization should go slow in that direction. Another thing, most of the people looking to settle in a place want financial aid or some help, in many cases shops have been built and leased for a term of five or ten years, and were exempted from taxation, but this could not be done."

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MONTVILLE.

The St. Joseph's Total Abstinence Society will give a grand ball on the evening of April 20, at Charles Porter Hall. Fine music and everything a la mode will be given.

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This old inn is located eight miles north of Boston, in a beautiful rolling country. The roofing and cellar beams remain untouched, and solid as the day they were put in, more than 125 years ago. In the front of the tavern there is an old elm tree, known to be over 70 years old. The fences and stone walls covered with lichens and beds of locust trees and lilacs give the place a romantic and embowered appearance.

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